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PRICE TWO CENTS

MANY DEAD IN GAS MAIN EXPLOSION IN GOTHAM STREET

HORRIBLE CATASTROPHE COSTS
ABOUT 15 LIVES

LOSES LIFE IN A RESCUE

SAM PROUT SEES MOTHER AND
CHILD IN PERIL

HE RUNS TO AID THEM

Loose Footing and All Three are En-
gulfed in Flames—Who's
Street Chaos

BROOKLYN, Nov. 20.—From 15
to 30 men were reported killed by the
bursting of a gas main while working
in a street well today. The gas main
exploded burying the men beneath
the debris. The windows of houses
near were shattered by the explosion.
A leak in the main, which communicated
with a spark from a workman's
pipe, is believed to be the cause. One
man was burned to death and twelve
are reported to be buried in the de-
bris.

Shook Whole Blocks
When the gas exploded the street
for blocks shook and a hole was torn
in the sewer, 25 feet wide and 25 feet
deep. Twenty-one workmen were be-
low the street level. It is believed
that 15 are now dead. A mass of
heavy planking used in construction,
caught fire and burned fiercely, be-
ing fed by the gas from the broken
main. The water main was broken
and flooded the lower level of the
excavation. The entire street, for
nearly a square sank into the hole.
Tons of debris is crushing the life
from the workmen. The earth and
rock slid forward from the founda-
tions of houses lining the street,
leaving the tenants out. A rush call
brought the police and firemen.

Losses Life in Rescue
Samuel Prout, who was passing,
saw a woman and child slide into
the burning abyss after the explo-
sion. He rushed forward to try to
save them but slipped and fell and
was roasted alive. His was the only
body recovered. The woman and
child were rescued by firemen.
Prout's wife saw his death.

Four workmen in a tiny compart-
ment were threatened by the flames,
but managed to burrow into a com-
pleted sewer and waded and swam
four blocks to the river, where they
escaped unhurt.

TOM L. NOT TO GO INTO BANKRUPTCY

CLEVELAND, Nov. 20.—Mayor
Johnson will not begin action in vol-
untary bankruptcy declaring it would
be unfair to creditors. His intention
is to adjust matters in the best pos-
sible way and hopes to repay fully.
The Euclid avenue home, valued at
\$250,000, is the property of his life,
and is unincumbered. She also has
other property. So far there is no
legal action against Johnson by his
creditors.

Johnson's financial condition is
problematical. The outcome will
possibly be more favorably than ex-
pected if opportunity is given to
realize his assets at their full value.

Friends through the mayor's office
today, offering cash, automobiles
and any assistance possible. All were
declined with thanks by the secre-
tary. One visitor said, "I have a
dandy big touring car, with top and
everything complete, and if the
mayor has given up his automobile,
I want him to have this one." An-
other offered \$2,000 in cash, say-
ing, "I want to give it to Mayor
Tom."

WANTS NO LUMBER DUTY

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 20.—
The lumber traffic occupied today's
hearing of the ways and means
committee. Theodore Knappen, Min-
nesota secretary of the National For-
est Conservation league, presented
a strong argument in favor of admit-
ting lumber and forest products into
the country free of duty. The destruc-
tion of the forests, he said, is caused
by a general decline of the mill in-
dustry. Hundreds of firms have
been driven from business in the last
few years.

HASKELL SEEKS ACTION

GUTHRIE, Okla., Nov. 20.—Has-
kell today instructed his attorneys
in the \$500,000 damage suit recently
filed against Hearst, growing out of
the charges by the editor against
Haskell in the recent campaign, to
remand the case to the state courts
for trial. Nov. 7, the Hearst attor-
neys had the case taken into the fed-
eral court, and Haskell wants the
state courts to hear it. If the request
is refused, an early hearing will be
sought.

P. VAN VLISINGEN IS MOST COLOSSAL FORGER IN HISTORY



PETER VAN VLISINGEN.
CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Monday
morning Peter Van Vlissingen was a
respected citizen, living in luxury and
courted by society people and finan-
ciers. Wednesday he was on his way
to the penitentiary convicted of for-
geries to the extent of \$700,000.
Such, in brief, is the record of one
of Chicago's most prominent real es-
tate men.

Two friends became suspicious of
certain papers and started an in-

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THE STATE RESTS IN GUNNESS CASE

CLOSES PRODUCTION OF EVI-
DENCE AGAINST LAMPHERE

DEFENSE SHOWS ITS PLANS

Will Attempt to Prove Alibi for
Lamphere and to Show That
Belle Gunness Is Alive

LAPORTE, Ind., Nov. 20.—The
state today rested their case in the
Lamphere trial. Attorney Worden
of the defense addressed the jury
and declared he would prove that
the Gunness house was blazing on
the morning of April 28, 20 minutes
before Lamphere left the home of
Elizabeth Smith, a negro, enroute
to the Wheatbrook farm. The Gun-
ness house is over a mile from the
Smith house. He declared that the
evidence would show that Mrs. Gun-
ness poisoned her first husband and
collected his life insurance. Her sec-
ond husband was killed by a sausage
cutter, and that night, April 27, was
the crisis of Belle's life, who feared
that the brother of Andrew Helgelein
would appear any minute.

Evidence will show that the after-
noon of the Saturday preceding a
woman was seen driving from the
Gunness farm, and he will produce
a witness who saw Belle in the flesh
one night last July driving near her
farm with an elderly gentleman. She
was also seen by the two children of
this witness. Worden said, "I be-
lieve the evidence will show you
that Belle is alive, and I expect to
show that Mrs. Gunness had a mo-
tive in setting fire to her house."
He promised to show that the
teeth found in the ruins could not
have been subjected to the terrific
heat which played on the body, and
would show that the teeth must have
been thrown in the ruins after the
fire had wasted its strength.

HUNDREDS DEAD IN NAPLES STORM

NAPLES, Nov. 20.—Hundreds
of deaths and a tremendous
loss of property resulted from
a day's storm, and flood that
ravaged Calabria province, a
part of the island of Sicily, ac-
cording to reports received to-
day, and troops were sent as a
relief expedition. Thousands
are homeless, a score of towns
were wrecked, and shipping
was destroyed. The country is
impassable and communication
with the stricken sections mea-
ger.

HUNTERS FIRE OIL

BOWLING GREEN, Ohio, Nov. 20.
—As the result of carelessness of
hunters 26 oil rigs burned near
Trombley, 9 miles south of this city,
also a power house and a 100 barrel
tank filled with oil.

ASSFOR CASE ADJOURNED

The case of Mrs. Abraham Assfor
against her husband, Abraham Ass-
for, was adjourned this afternoon in
Judge Brindley's court.

HAWLEY SAYS HE IS NOT BOUND HERE

WRITES TRIBUNE ELLIOTT DID
NOT RESERVE HIM

CONTRACT SHOWS THE FACTS

Hints at Bad Faith on Part of Di-
rectors Who Won't Use Him but
Want to Hold Him

In a letter dated at Beaver Dam,
Wis., yesterday "Pink" Hawley, re-
signed manager of the local club of
the Wisconsin-Illinois league, advises
The Tribune that he is in a position
show that the La Crosse association
has no hold upon him.
"I had a contract for 1908," says
Mr. Hawley. "I have none for 1909.
My contract was not specific on that
point, so I wrote across the face of it
a statement that it should not be in
operation longer than 1908."
"I am free now to go where I
please, because President Elliott did
not reserve me at the close of the
season. As president of the club, he
accepted the contract and he now
has it in his possession. If anyone
doubts that he, as the proper official,
regarded the relationship between
me and the club as closed at the end
of the year, let them ask him. I am
not afraid but what John Elliott will
"tole fair." He always does.

"My purpose in resigning when
Mr. Elliott did was this: I thought
the directors would not want me, as
they did not really want me last
year. If they did, my resigning
would give them a chance to say so.
I staid there ten days, and they
said nothing. I could not stay
around there and miss my chances
to get a position, so when I became
convinced beyond doubt that they
did not want me, I went after an-
other position. I had four offers,
any one of them better than I could
get in La Crosse."

Mr. Hawley adds that his contract
is not closed. Its conditions, he says,
will be liberal. But he wants to
withhold his signature until Mr. W.
S. Cargill says to "go ahead." "I
know he will tell me to go where I
can do the best," continued Mr.
Hawley, "but Mr. Cargill helped me
so much in La Crosse that I would
be an ingrate to throw things up
there without consulting him."

AUTO PLUNGES INTO RIVER; TWO DROWN

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—An automo-
bile containing eight persons, in-
cluding several women, today plun-
ged into the Calumet river while
speeding north. A man and a wo-
man were drowned, but the other
occupants were rescued.
The dead are Jos. Meyer, 22,
chauffeur, and Margaret Atkins, 20.
The occupants were four chauffeurs
and four young women, out for an
early morning spin. The accident
occurred in a remote section while
going at a terrific speed. They
plunged over a 25-foot embankment
into the river, the car swerving as
they approached the bridge. The
auto sank and when it appeared
from the water, six were clinging to
the sides. The others were drowned.
The bodies of Meyer and Miss At-
kins were recovered.

A BIG FORT SCOTT BANK GOES TO WALL

FORT SCOTT, Kans., Nov. 20.—
The First National bank today closed
on the orders of President Grant
Hornaday, and Washington authori-
ties have been requested to send a
receiver. The liabilities are stated to
be \$662,000, the book assets are
reported to be \$789,000, and the
capital stock is \$100,000.
The bank had extensive dealings
here and in surrounding towns and
it is not known what will be the
effect of the failure. Hornaday is
reputed to be a millionaire and has
declared that his whole private for-
tune will be used to protect the
bank losses.

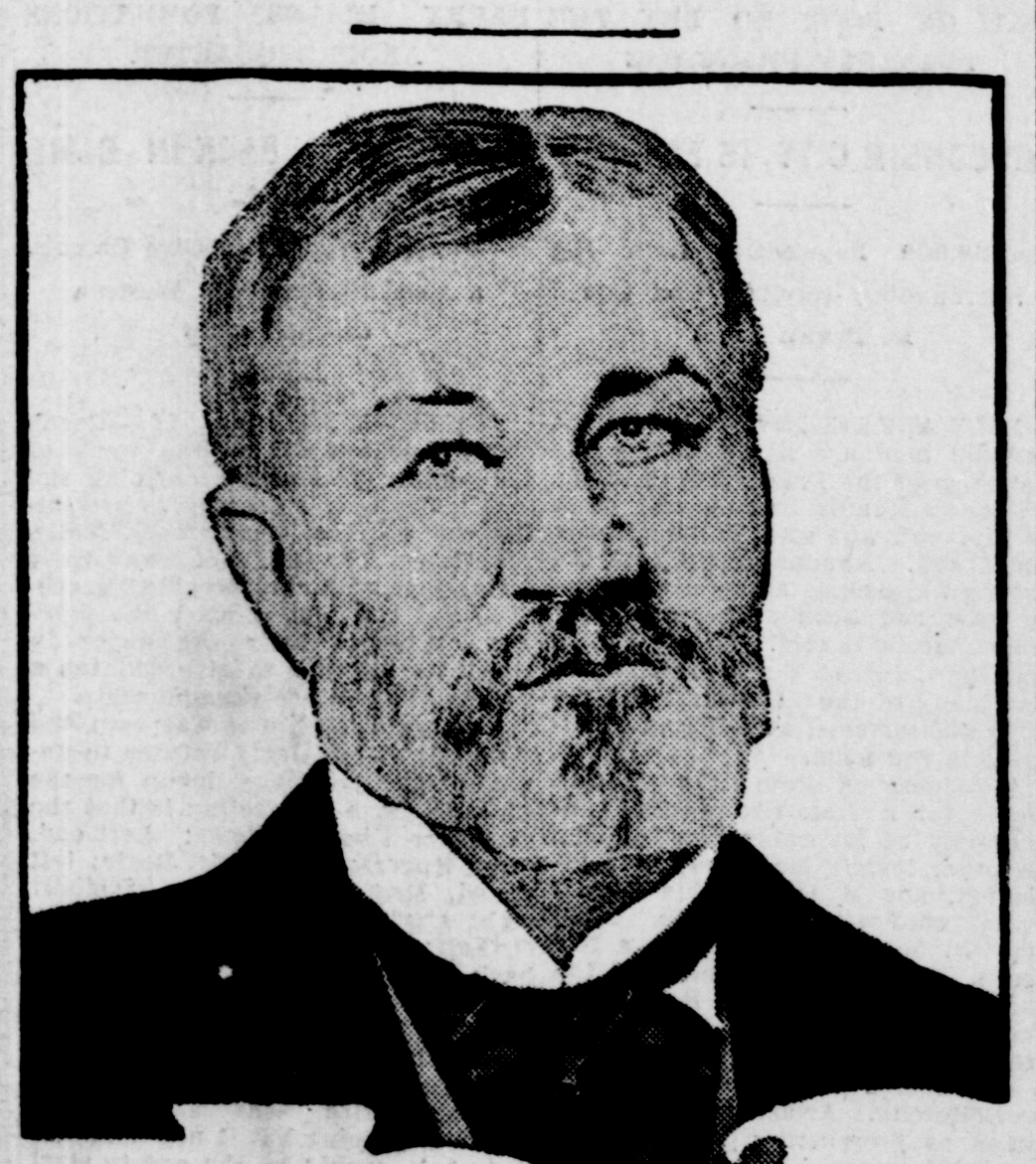
EDWARDS' BRIDE NOT GUILTY.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., Nov. 20.—
Mrs. Sophie Harrison Eastman-Ed-
wards, daughter of Carter A. Har-
rison, former mayor of Chicago, and
her husband, Baker E. Edwards, won
the struggle to vindicate the good
name of the bride from the charges
brought against her and her hus-
band by Echols McBee.
Adjudged not guilty of a statu-
tory charge, after a trial full of the
most startling accusations, the bride
and groom, heroine and hero of a
romantic courtship and wedding,
walked out of Squire Fletcher's
court, far up in the mountains above
Asheville, vindicated before the world.
The justice, in deciding the case, de-
clared them victims of trivial and
malicious prosecution.

RUOFF WINS SHAWL

A beautiful shawl was raffled at
the home of Elenore Hoelzel, 1428
Farnam street, Thursday evening
and was won by Mr. Emil Ruoff. The
lucky number was 180.

RICHARD CROKER ENTERS GOTHAM WITHOUT ANY DEMONSTRATION



NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Croker,
ex-chief of Tammany, arrived today
on the Lusitania. He expects to spend
the winter in California. It is hint-
ed here he may be planning to enter
politics again, clean out the present
Tammany forces and restore the old
leaders. In an interview, just before
landing, he said he had no intention
of entering politics. When asked
what he thought of Brya's statement
that he might again be a candidate
for president, Croker laughed.
The leader in the "Croker Old
Guard" had planned to charter a
tugboat and go down the bay to meet
him. They were endeavoring to ob-
tain permission to take him from
the steamship at quarantine and
bring him ashore as their private
guest.
The nature of these plans reached
Mr. Croker and he cabled back at
once, forbidding and demonstration
either on the pier or on the steam-
ship. He declared that he desired to
land quietly and to go direct to the
democratic club where he will occupy
his old quarters during his stay in
the city.

REV. C. N. MOLLER WEARS THE HORNS

Rev. C. N. Moller, rector of Christ church, has sprouted—not
wings, but a fine little pair of horns. They are not such horns as go
with the cloven hoof of his satanic majesty, oh no! They are the
spreading antlers of the elk. And it was with all due reverence and
respect that the lodge members said "Hello, Bill!" and extended the
hand that always contains the grip.
Whether, as some say, Rev. Moller was impelled to join the Elks
during the recent campaign, when the two most popular men in the
land were being called "Bill," cannot be told. Anyway, he decided
to join the club, and he was warmly welcomed. He was one of a
class of nine initiated last evening, when the crack team of the Wi-
sona Elks had charge of the work.
Cannibalism was not barred, for the guests partook of a venison
supper tendered by Supreme Ruler Dr. E. A. Gatterdam, which also
included rabbit stew, Brother W. H. Pierce having furnished the
rabbits.
Those who joined the organization last evening are: Rev. C. N.
Moller, Frank W. Pitman, Donald G. Lewis, F. L. Koppelberger,
John Rusche, Edward Neumann, and John Buerstrom.

WARDEN MAKES BIG HAUL AT GENOA

GEORGE KINGSLEY CONFISCATES
1,000 POUNDS OF PIKE

CLAYTON KIMBALL ARRESTED

Have Been Shipping Pike Out of
State—Is Fined at Viroqua and
Fish are Sold in La Crosse

One of the largest fish hauls in
the history of this section of the
country was made yesterday when
Game Warden George Kingsley of
this city swooped down upon Clayton
Kimball and a party of seiners at
Genoa, Wis., and confiscated 1,047
pounds of fish. Most of the haul con-
sisted of pike, but there were also
croppies, pickered and sturgeon.
Kimball was arrested charged with
shipping fish out of the state and
has for some time been engaged in
marketing his catches in Chicago.
He was arrested by Mr. Kingsley
and taken to Viroqua, Vernon county,
and pleaded guilty to the charge prefer-
red against him there. He was fined
\$25 and costs, amounting to \$40.
The fish were brought to this city
and sold at auction, Joseph Seiger,
the local fish dealer, securing the
largest portion. Although Mr. King-
sley refuses to divulge the exact
amount realized by the state in this
haul it is estimated to be large.

CHINESE MURDERS DENIED.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Messages
from Chinese representatives of a
British commercial house today de-
ny absolutely the stories yesterday
that Prince Ching, Yuan Shi Kai,
dowager empress, and Yaponala were
assassinated at the peace by plotters.
The situation is quiet.

SLAVS IN RUSSIA RAGE AT AUSTRIA

ANTI-AUSTRIAN MOVEMENT IS
WIDE AND BITTER

BREECH TAKES UGLY FORM

Austria and Montenegro Discontinue
Diplomatic Relations
Today

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 20.—
Convinced that Austria is plotting
war against the Slavs in Russia as
well as the Balkans, the Russian Pan-
Slav society today began a violent
anti-Austrian agitation all over the
empire. The demonstration was equal
in violence to the outbursts of the
Serbians and Montenegrins.
They are Strangers
Increasing friction between Aus-
tria and Montenegro reached the cli-
max today in the severance of diplo-
matic relations between the two, ac-
cording to messages from Vienna.
The situation on the Austrian fron-
tier is said to be the most acute since
the initial breach between Serbia,
Montenegro and Austria.

ARKANSAS ON FIRE

LITTLE ROCK, Nov. 20.—Half a
dozen towns are threatened with ex-
tinction and there is a great loss of
timber in the forest fires which have
been raging for 24 hours. A heavy
pall of smoke hangs over the coun-
try. Scores of lives are endangered.

STEAMER WRECKED, 21 DEAD

REGGIO DE CALABRIA, Nov. 20.—
The French steamer Martinique
was wrecked off Caulonia in a storm,
which swept the coast for three days,
and 21 of the crew were drowned.

KELLOGG PURSUES MR. ROCKEFELLER

MAKES RIDICULOUS CLAIM BUSI-
NESS IS A HAZARD

TRIES TO EVADE ANSWER

But Oil Magnate Fails, Although
Kellogg Withdraws Line of
Inquiry

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 20.—
Bonaparte said today, replying to
a question as to whether Rockefeller
will secure immunity should the oc-
casion arise requiring a decision: "It
appears that the laws concerning the
question of immunity are not as spe-
cific as the high government officials
think they ought to be. It provides
immunity from personal prosecution
for those appearing in response to a
subpoena, whether that means a
summons from the prosecution or de-
fense is not made clear."
It is understood the government
contends that Rockefeller gains no
immunity, in testifying before Fer-
ris.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—In cross-
examining Rockefeller today Kel-
logg asked:
"Do you consider hazardous any
business starting in 1882 with a capi-
tal of sixty-seven millions, that has
paid dividends of \$591,000,000 and
accumulated a surplus of over \$300-
000,000?"

Reply: "I don't consider the
amount of money made in any busi-
ness has anything to do with whether
or not it is hazardous."

This was said calmly and delib-
erately. Three times Rockefeller was
asked certain questions about the
apportionment of cash, property and
trust certificates since the promul-
gation of the trust agreement in 1882.

"I decline to answer unless coun-
sel for the government insists, in
which case I will answer," was the
stereotyped reply of the witness in
each instance.

Kellogg repeated the request, and
was interrupted by Milburn saying:
"Rockefeller will answer no ques-
tion that he is not compelled to."
Later Milburn said witness might an-
swer, but Kellogg had struck a new
lead and declined to press the point.
Calling attention to extracts from
the records of Standard Oil, Kellogg
pointed out that the original capitali-
zation of \$60,000,000 represented
property worth \$56,000,000 and
trust certificates aggregating \$18-
000,000.

Clever Bout Follows
Kellogg said, "Now, you say these
\$13,000,000 of the trust's certifi-
cates have since been issued?" Rocke-
feller replied: "Oh, no, I don't; you
say I say so."

After one of the cleverest legal
sparring bouts ever witnessed had
been precipitated by Kellogg's efforts
to gain a statement that the profits
distributed since the inception of the
trust agreement amount to over
\$598,000,000, the witness proved
himself worthy of admiration.
When Kellogg finished the inter-
rogations along this line there had
been written in the court records a
resume of everything heretofore
known of the financial success of
Standard, Rockefeller said, "You say
these records are correct and I agree
that they must be so."

Looking for the Best of It.
Rockefeller, replying to a question
said he assumed that Standard Oil
was the largest shipper in the coun-
try. Smiling when asked for con-
firmation of the belief that Standard
had identical contracts with other
competitive railroads, the witness re-
plied:

"I don't know the relations with
other railroads. We are doing what
every shipper of oil or other prod-
ucts is doing and will always do—
trying to make the best arrangements
we could with the railroads under
the circumstances."

BUDGET: "\$20,256 FOR CITY PARKS"

• The first step in pursuance
• of the park plan outlined by
• the La Crosse park commission
• will be taken tonight, when
• the council passes the annual
• budget, in which is an item of
• \$20,256 for parks and road-
• ways, created by the mill tax
• authorized by state law.
• The apportionment of the
• county tax was officially pre-
• sented to the comptroller this
• afternoon, and will be incorpo-
• rated in the budget.

ELECT TOMORROW

DENVER, Nov. 20.—With the re-
port of the committee on the pre-
sident's address still before it, today's
session of the convention of the
American Federation of Labor began
at 10 a. m. The prospect of the elec-
tion of officers and the selection of
the next meeting place was deferred
until tomorrow.

PANAMA AND THE COLOMBIANS ARE AMERICAN TURKEY

TO PANAMA CANAL WHAT TUR-
KEY IS TO SUEZ

UNCLE SAM IS ON GUARD

WHAT IF THEY SHOULD LEAVE
PORTS TO OTHER POWERS?

A PANAMA-COLOMBIAN ROW

United States Seeks Colombian Re-
cognition of Panama and Close
Treaty With Both

(J. C. Welliver.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 20.—
The nature of the complications in
which control of the isthmian canal
involves this country, is suggested
by the interest which is taken in the
movement for recognition of Pan-
ama's independence by the United
States of Colombia.

It has been well known that the
Washington government has long en-
deavored to secure Colombian recog-
nition of Panama. For manifest
reasons, Colombia does not feel
cheerful about the independence of
the isthmian republic. For similar
reasons, Colombia doesn't know how
she can help herself. All the world
has recognized Panama as an inde-
pendent government, and Colombia
cannot by withholding her acquies-
cence materially affect the status of
Panama.

But Colombia remains an inde-
pendent country, with power to make
treaties and contract alliances. Col-
ombia controls the northwest corner

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MR. BURNS ARRESTS HAAS POLICEMEN

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—An
echo of the attempted assassination
of Heney found vent today in the
filing of charges against two police-
men by Detective Burns. He de-
clared it means an effort to oust
Chief of Police Rigby. The men
named in the charges are James R.
Kelley and John A. Attridge, who,
acting as prison guards, refused to
permit Burns to question Haas. The
coroner's inquest, to find who was
responsible for Haas securing the
pistol with which he ended his life,
was continued today. Much bitter-
ness was displayed.

AMOROUS PRIEST FORCED TO RESIGN

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Rev.
Payson Young resigned from the
pastorate of the church of St. Mary
the Virgin, when a committee of ves-
trymen called on him. Young is
accused of improper relations with
Edna Clark, an Alameda art stu-
dent, who disappeared from home
and was afterwards found in Chic-
ago. The pastor was propped up in
bed, having been ill for several days.

FRENCH CRUISER AGROUND

PARIS, Nov. 20.—The French
cruiser Conde was grounded off Jac-
cio, Corsica, today during maneu-
vers. Its condition is critical.

WEATHER FORECAST



Cooler in La Crosse, 26; warmest,
58; wind, 4 miles per hour; rainfall,
0.
The river will remain stationary.
The present stage is 2.3 feet.
Forecasts today:
Wisconsin—Fair and warmer to-
night and Saturday.
Minnesota—Fair tonight and Sat-
urday; warmer tonight and east por-
tion Saturday.
Iowa—Fair tonight and Saturday;
warmer.

S.S.S. THE REMEDY FOR SORES AND ULCERS

The combination of healthful vegetable ingredients of which S. S. S. is composed, makes it an especially desirable and effective remedy in the treatment of sores and ulcers of every kind. Since an impure condition of the blood is responsible for the trouble, a medicine that can purify the blood is the only hope of a successful cure; and it should be a medicine that not only cleanses the circulation, but one that at the same time restores the blood to its normal, rich, nutritive condition. S. S. S. is just such a remedy. It is made entirely of healing, cleansing vegetable properties, extracted from nature's roots, herbs and barks of the forest and fields. It has long been recognized as the greatest of all blood purifiers, possessing the qualities necessary to remove every impurity in the blood. When S. S. S. has purified the circulation, and strengthened and enriched it, sores and ulcers heal readily and surely, because they are no longer fed and kept open by a continual discharge into them of irritating disease-laden matter from the blood. S. S. S. brings about a healthy condition of the flesh by supplying it with rich, nourishing blood and makes a permanent and lasting cure. Book on Sores and Ulcers and any medical advice mailed free to all who write.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

La France Shoe FOR WOMEN

There is a Difference Between Stylish Appearance in a Show-Window and Stylish Appearance on the Foot.

There is a difference between the comfort of a shoe that is made to fit and one made merely with an eye to beauty. La France shoes for women are unique in this respect—they combine the highest degree of grace and stylish beauty on the foot with perfect ease and comfort.

That is because the material which enters into every portion of the shoe from the sole upward is carefully chosen with a view to the particular requirements which it must meet.

Every woman who has bought a pair of La France shoes at this store knows that they hold their shape and present a smooth, dainty, unwrinkled appearance as long as they last—and that they last a surprisingly long time. Buy just one pair and you will realize how true all this is.

J. S. ARENZ & COMPANY

323 Pearl Street
La Crosse, Wis.



The La France Flexible Welt combines the comfort and ease of a turn shoe with the style and smartness of a welt shoe.

Sports of all Sorts



RACINE MAY TAKE FREEPORT'S PLACE MOLL THE CENTER OF BADGER PLAYS

DEAL ON FOOT TO BUY THE PRETZELS' FRANCHISE

WISCONSIN CITY IS FAVORED

Has 38,000 Population With Big Surrounding Territory that Can Be Drawn From

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 20.—Racine baseball men are likely to buy the franchise of the Freeport club in the Wisconsin-Illinois league, and steps to that end are said to be already under way. Announcement that the Freeport franchise and players were for sale had been anticipated for some time, it is said. It was known that the club had a poor season and that many of the directors had become disheartened at the lack of interest in the team.

A proposition from the Racine people for a franchise would undoubtedly be favorably received by the other league managers, it is intimated, and it is probable that a formal application from the Belle city will be submitted within a few weeks. It is said that many of the leading business men of Racine, including Mayor Horlick and City Clerk Armstrong, are supporting the plan to establish a state league team in the Belle city. Armstrong has been named as prospective president of the club.

Racine ought to be an ideal city for the Wisconsin-Illinois league. It has a population estimated at 38,000 and has, in addition, a surrounding territory of nearly 30,000 to draw from.

President Charles F. Moll of the State league declined to discuss the report that Racine would make application for a franchise further than to say that he understood such a deal was contemplated.

CARLISLE INDIANS TO PLAY DENVER

DENVER, Nov. 20.—Responding to the telegram from Denver university that he aid in having Carlisle keep its contract for a game with Denver on December 5, Commissioner of Indian Affairs Leupp telegraphed that he had directed that the team carry out its contract if possible. Later, word came from the Carlisle managers that the game would be played.

Poor Tools And A Good Worker

That Is What Makes Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Sour Taste, Foul Breath And Catarrh.

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When the stomach at last sickens of all this abuse and cannot do its full duty, most men are not warned but keep up their assaults on the stomach until at last it rebels and begins to strike back and cry for help. Man by his own abuse has taken away from the stomach the tools to work with.

These tools are the gastric juices which go to make up the digestive agents. From 7 to 35 lbs. of gastric juice are turned into the stomach every day.

When poor, poisonous food consumes this juice, dilutes it, robs it of its strength and throws it, a fermented mass from the system, of course there is just that much of the gastric fluid which cannot be readily supplied by the blood.

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BARRY BUILDS FORMATIONS AROUND QUARTER

CUNNINGHAM BACK IN GAME

Wisconsin Prepared to Give Chicago a Hard Struggle for Western Championship

MADISON, Wis., Nov. 20.—Coach Barry knocked off on the work of the varsity yesterday, confining the whole afternoon's practice to perfecting the plays in Quarterback Moll's repertoire. The men got away their formations with considerable smoothness and the rooters after the practice expressed their confidence in the team's ability to give Chicago a run for the western championship.

The same old lineup was used and although Coach Barry refuses to announce positively the lineup for the Chicago game the feeling is that the varsity will be as follows: Left end, Capt. Rogers; left tackle, Boyle; left guard, Messmer; center, Seihm; right guard, Deuster; right tackle, Osthoff; right end, Dean; quarterback, Moll; left halfback, Culver; right halfback, Cunningham; fullback, Wilce. The only uncertainty is as to the right halfback position. Cunningham, who injured his ankle in the practice Wednesday, was on the field limping but it now looks as though he would be the one to start the game for the Badgers on Saturday. Muckleston was played there yesterday.

Before the regular practice started, Coach Barry had both Moll and Messmer practice place kicks with Capt. Rogers holding the ball. Both did good work and it is a question who will be called upon to do the goal kicking. Coach Barry unfolded a couple of new plays on the unsuspecting rooters who attended the practice and they look as though they ought to be effective against the maroons.

Two changes were made in the lineup as the practice continued. Osthoff was taken out from right tackle. Kreutzer being shifted to the position and Bell being placed in Deuster's place at right guard. The men are all in fine physical shape now and with but a short sign, drill on the program for today they should meet Chicago in the best of condition.

LA CROSSE PLAYING BARABOO TODAY

The La Crosse high school football team is this afternoon playing the Baraboo high school on the latter's grounds. The home team is confident of victory and as Coach Cooper does not wish to take any risk in having any of the star players injured he will send in several substitutes. However the regular men accompanied the team and in case the unexpected happens the regular men will get into the game.

The team will remain in Baraboo over night and in the morning will leave for Madison to witness the Chicago-Wisconsin game.

The boys will return Sunday morning and be rested up so as to get out in suits by Monday evening. Every night next week two hours of solid practice will be indulged in and after supper secret practice in some gymnasium.

The team as it plays today lined up as follows: Center, Collins or Davis; right guard, Techmer; left tackle, Holbrook; right end, Capt. Tourtelotte; left guard, Brindley; left tackle, Schalbach; left end, Roddy; quarter, Shaw or Ray; right half, Novak; fullback, Tourtelotte; left half, Dickens; substitutes, Grimes, Walker, Jungbluth.

BOB LYNCH RELEASED BY FOND DU LAC CLUB

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Nov. 20.—Bobby Lynch, who managed the Fond du Lac team last season, has been released by Owner Reinik. Just who will manage the club next year is a matter of speculation, as Reinik refuses to discuss baseball matters. Among the applicants for the place is former Manager Herr of the Winnipeg club of the Northern Copper Country league.

YALE WANTS A NEW FOOTBALL STADIUM

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 20.—Inability to seat many of the undergraduates who wish to see the Yale-Harvard football game on Saturday has resulted in a renewal of the agitation for a concrete stadium here. The Alumni Weekly is pushing the move. It is suggested that a graduate corporation be organized to back the proposal and to start a fund. An issue of bonds is contemplated. While the Yale stand at present seats only 32,000 there were approximately 50,000 applications for tickets.

When a man is willing to spend his evenings home it is a sign that his wife lets him wear an old pair of slippers with the heels off.

SCOTCH WOOLEN MILLS CO'S EDITORIAL CONCERNING THANKSGIVING



How are you going to stack up Thanksgiving Day?

Are you going to hike down the street dressed in your old overcoat, while all around you Prosperity is sticking out a foot?

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SPORTING BRIEFS

CHICAGO—The Maroons left this morning for Madison. They are suffering from colds but otherwise they are in perfect condition. Staggs says that the team is not over confident and that it lacks the snappy aggressiveness that he would like.

ANN ARBOR—The Michigan team left for the east today. The men are hopeful of victory but a defeat is looked for. Schultz will play part of the game at least but without him the chances are small.

CARLISLE—The Indians have left for Minneapolis where they will meet

the Gophers in a struggle that promises to be a fierce one. The Carlisle team is counted on to win but the Minnesota team will not give up without a hard fight.

IOWA CITY—The Iowa team is showing poor form. The other night the freshmen defeated the varsity which disheartened the rooters a great deal. Shifts in the team will be made in an effort to win from Kansas.

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MANILA, Nov. 20.—An opium smuggling plot was thwarted here when 103 cans of the drug were discovered in a barrel supposed to contain cement. The shipment was from China to Corrigidor Island. The opium was confiscated.

SUICIDES IN FIELD

WEBSTER CITY, Iowa, Nov. 20.—A. A. Johnson, a prominent farmer residing west of Stratford, was found dead in a cornfield by his wife. He had committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. He had been dependent and had been drinking heavily of late.

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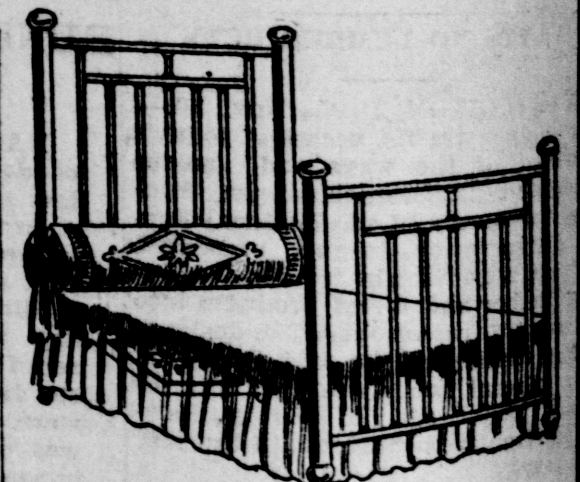
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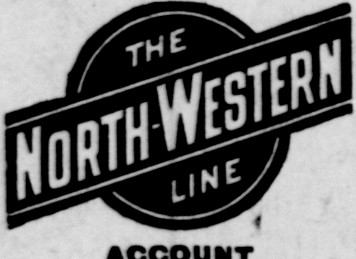
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FRANK H. BURGESS.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this thirty-first day of October, 1908.

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THE PARK PROGRAM

ACTION IS ESSENTIAL—Exultation at the complete success of the park mass-meeting is felt throughout the city, people generally regarding it as, in itself, a mighty achievement. It was a great achievement, but it achieved but one thing—a clear road to that greater achievement which can be reached only by ACTION.

Mayor Anderson meant just that when he quoted from Scott: "The Bramborough peasant raised his head, But slept, e'er half a prayer he said."

We mustn't go to sleep on this thing. We must not let the feeling of that great meeting of citizens drift away as a passing impression, a whim, a "flash in the pan." It was in fact the expression of an earnest and fixed desire coming from substantial people more representative of this entire city than any other gathering held in the history of the city. Its resolutions were an expression of conviction deep and abiding. But if we bury that conviction in

our hearts, if we do not wear the badge of civic pride upon our sleeves, an earnest purpose of the great mass of people who count in La Crosse will lapse into an unfulfilled desire.

COUNCIL IS BOUND—The city council is bound to accept the mass-meeting resolutions as conclusive of the wishes of the public, and the intent of the people is the one guide for official action. Many of the aldermen were present, and what they saw and heard could not have failed to convince them that they have no alternative but to proceed with the park plans along the lines indicated by the park commission. The unanimous adoption of resolutions to that effect is in fact a public edict that the thing shall be done.

We are positive that there are in the council few if any men who do not feel pleased at thus being relieved of any possible blame for doing what they, in their hearts, would have liked to do anyway. Our aldermen have repeatedly demonstrated that they are progressive, and there now lies before them, approved by all the people, an opportunity for genuine progress such as seldom confronts a city council.

We do not hesitate to call the attention of the aldermen to one thing which elective office holders always scrutinize closely—the political effect of public action. We are in a position to say positively that the park movement can never come into politics. Look at the facts:

A democratic mayor appoints four men as commissioners on their merits. It happens that three of them are republicans, and that the fourth openly supported Judge Taft.

At a public mass-meeting the resolutions are drawn by a committee about evenly divided between the parties, and a republican congressman and two republican judges join with an equal number of strong democrats in earnestly pleading for a vigorous prosecution of the park movement. In addition, one of the heaviest taxpayers in the city, a republican, we believe, insists with powerful argument upon immediate commitment to the bonding feature.

This thing was designed by the mayor as a non-partisan movement, just as he urges the elimination of politics from all city work, and the circumstances are absolute proof that it cannot drift into politics, for every newspaper in the city has warmly endorsed the plan in its entirety.

This great project, then, may be viewed by every alderman from a single angle—the angle directing toward honest public duty. It is now a duty from which no deviation is possible, for it comes in the form of a unanimous public decree.

A SPECIFIC EXPRESSION—Cognizant of the fact that reference to men's financial worth is a delicate subject, we cannot refrain from comment upon the sound business talk of Mr. A. Hirschheimer relative to the park resolutions. He was silent during the general speech making, but when it came to the practical side of the matter, the side from which must come the sinews to create, he contributed vigorously to the discussion, adding the pressure that caused a general and unformed wish to crystallize into a definite purpose.

His demand that the method of proceeding be made specific, his refusal to shirk the word "bonds," his insistence that the language of the meeting convey a definite message to the city council, had mighty weight in view of the significant fact that he is himself one of the heaviest taxpayers in the city and that upon him must fall a large percentage of the burden. As we heard his practical, lucid arguments, and as

we listened to the words of true understanding that came from the lips of Dr. Ed. Evans, we could not avoid a regretful reflection that it was indeed an unfortunate cabal that deprived our board of education of the earnest services of both of them.

OUR MACHINERY PERFECT—The Tribune has no suggestions to offer in the matter of procedure. It is advised of the keen interest of the park commissioners and of their purpose to proceed with the caution through which the wise man "makes haste slowly." It recognizes the mastery with which Mayor Anderson habitually handles important public business, and it knows the aldermen of this city as a body of earnest, capable and public spirited men in whom their constituents are justified in placing implicit reliance. We look for achievement of a substantial and well considered sort, as fast as is compatible with the formation and prosecution of well digested plans.

The financial ruin of Tom L. Johnson, in his effort to establish municipal ownership and a three-cent fare in Cleveland, must impress upon the scoffers the earnest devotion of this great man to the work he has undertaken on behalf of the public. However men may disagree with him as to the practicability of his plans, they cannot longer question his singleness of purpose. Men do not destroy their private fortunes to accomplish such ends as that aimed at by Mayor Johnson, unless they are inspired by a desire to accomplish some great achievement for humanity. There is no money in it; there is hard work and private inconvenience and loss.

The modesty which impelled the park commissioners to remain in the background during the achievement of their first great success cannot rob them of credit for the splendid work they have done. The citizens of La Crosse understand, and they are deeply appreciative of the fine start that has been made. We predict they will continue to show this in the loyal support given the hands of the commissioners.

Evidently there are "boxers" in the Chinese royal court.

QUIPS AND CRANKS AND WANTON WILES

Ladies Must Not Read.

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FAT WOMEN AND HOUSEWORK

Housework is harder on the stout woman than it is on her leaner sister for very obvious reasons. Bending over brings on that awful stuffed-up feeling and causes her face to get red and coarse looking. As a result many fat women, naturally good housekeepers, let their homes go rather than permit the work to make their lives a misery.

A good many try exercising and dieting to get rid of the fat, but I want to say here that if housework will not take off your extra flesh, exercising can not. Housework is the most strenuous kind of exercise.

I recommend every woman who reads this with interest, because it deals with a problem of her own, to give up exercising and dieting as being bad and injurious, and instead try the following simple mixture of household remedies. I guarantee that in a reasonable length of time they will have lost enough flesh in a natural, wholesome way to enable them to go through their housework with pleasure and comfort to themselves. This home receipt is as follows: 1/2 ounce Marmol, 1/2 ounce Fluid Cascara Aromatic, 3 1/2 ounces Peppermint Water, and the directions for taking are one teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime.

Now, don't make the mistake of thinking that because these three things are simple home remedies the combination of them can't be good for reducing the flesh, for as a matter of fact I don't believe there is a better combination for taking off fat quickly and safely than the one I have given you above. It does not disturb the stomach or cause wrinkles, and it renders dieting and exercising entirely unnecessary. In addition to these advantages, which I am sure you will admit are enough to recommend it to any woman, it is inexpensive and easily obtainable at any drug store.

IMPORTANT COURT DECISIONS

RESTRAINING PUBLICATION OF PHOTOGRAPH.—A statute of New York prohibits the use, for advertising purposes, of the portrait or picture of any living person without first obtaining his written consent, or, if the person be a minor, the consent of his guardian. In Wyatt vs. Wanamaker, 110 New York Supplement, 900, plaintiff alleged minority and that defendant had been using her name and portrait without permission. Defendant alleged that the picture had been taken in consideration of a reduction in the price granted to professional actors under an agreement that such pictures might be sold by the photographer, and that plaintiff was known as a professional. The New York supreme court held these defenses insufficient, saying that the statute requiring written permission could not be evaded thus.

CENTRAL AMERICAN STABILITY

(Boston Herald.)

The international bureau of central American republics announces a commendable purpose. It is proposed to make uniform the civil, commercial and criminal legislation of the five signatory republics, to establish a uniform customs and monetary system, and to work for the general development of commerce and industry. The success of the effort would be seriously doubted were reliance placed upon the stability of central American purpose alone. But back of this is the spirit of the international bureau of American republics, and particularly the governments of the United States and Mexico, each of which is determined, for selfish as well as unselfish interest, that constant turmoil in central America shall be checked. The five republics will be given a chance to work out their own salvation, and good government will be assured the moral backing of larger powers and more substantial support if necessary.

ROMAN CATHOLIC CONGRESS.

(Record-Herald.)

The great Roman Catholic congress that is being held in Chicago gives impressive evidence of the vitality of the church that it represents, its alertness, its eager interest in all that concerns the welfare of man and the growth of religion. The church is of great age, but it is singularly free from the infirmities of age. It still has the life and strength of youth. Its force is felt in every part of the world, under all forms of government. The missionary spirit is active wherever its influence extends as it is in this missionary congress. It belongs to the living present, but it finds its greatest encouragement in the traditions that the church preserves.

The congress teaches a lesson that is worthy the very earnest consideration of all Christian bodies and all organizations of men. It teaches the supreme value of complete devotion to a great object.

SCHOOLS FOR MINERS

(Boston Herald.)

Light has dawned into the minds of some managers of the Pennsylvania anthracite companies, and they are said to be planning to open schools in which operatives can be taught by experts how to meet the technical and foreseeable exigencies of their dangerous calling. Better late than never. No discipline, however strict, can defeat the perfect works of ignorance. An ounce of prevention in mining, as in everything else, is worth a pound of remedy. State supervision of obedience to law is necessary but can be diminished in cost and severity by such action as is now contemplated.

It sometimes happens that a distant relation is too close.

SPOTLIGHTS

Israel Zangwill's latest play, "The Melting Pot," which was produced for the first time in Washington and later in Chicago, opens tonight at the La Crosse theater with Walker Whiteside in the leading role. Mr. Zangwill has been a most prolific writer. Among his best known works being "The Boy Mystery," "Children of the Ghetto," "The Master," "A Rose of the Ghetto," "The People's Savior," "The Maker of Lenses," "Dreamers of the Ghetto," "They That Walk in Darkness," "The Mantle of Elijah," "Blind Children," "The Gray Wig," "Ghetto Comedy," "Merely Mary Ann" and others. Many place in recent years have been hailed as the great American drama. They have been of the east, of the west, of the south and of the north. But it is said that there has been no play produced which is so typical of America, of its virility and its marvelous development, that has satisfied the public, and yet was the great American play. Has it remained for Israel Zangwill, an Englishman, to accomplish what American authors have so far failed in? It is said "The Melting Pot," Zangwill's new play, is the great American drama. "The Melting Pot" seems to typify this great country with its millions of immigrants from all parts of the world and its assimilating power. The author's idea is that the country is God's crucible into which are poured the men and women of all nations and races and out of which will eventually come an American citizen who will be in truth an American—the product of the soil in which the seed of many nations has been sown. Mr. Zangwill's play deals particularly with the fate of the Jews who come to this country. Messrs. Liebler & Co. have surrounded Mr. Whiteside with a strong company, including John Blair, Grant Stewart, Henry Bergman, Henry Vogel, Chrystal Herne, Louise Von Ottinger, Louise Mlddener and others. This same cast which appeared with Mr. Whiteside in Chicago will be seen here.

"Under Southern Skies"

People go to the theater to be entertained. Gloomy plays, except in rare instances, are not favorably received. Audiences, especially women, like to have their feelings wrought upon to a certain extent; they even enjoy an opportunity to shed a few tears. But they also like to have the tears followed by laughter, they want the sun to come out between the clouds. Since "East Lynne," there has probably not been a play produced which draws women to witness it in such crowds as does Lottie Blair Parker's drama of love among the blossoms "Under Southern Skies." There is something about the beautiful stage settings, youthful, summery dresses, crowds of gay young folks, Halloween tricks; Jack-o-lantern dance and touching love scenes that enchant the young, who are in the hey-day of their own pleasures, and fascinate their elders by carrying them back to their own merry days—sometimes they have been forgotten until suddenly brought to vivid remembrance by the lifelike scenes of "Under Southern Skies." All women love the play, and the men enjoy it, so it is not strange that it is now in its eighth season, playing to larger audiences than ever before, the capacity of the theater being tested in every city fortunate enough to secure this remarkably successful drama.

"Under Southern Skies" is to appear in La Crosse on Sunday at La Crosse theater and the indications are that it will be witnessed by a large and fashionable audience.

Amateurs at Bijou.

The best amateur bill of the season has been provided for the patrons of the Bijou tonight. Among the offerings will be an exhibition of strength and heavyweight lifting by a local Sandow, a song and dance black face team, and a violin solo by a long haired wandering minstrel. Last but not least the celebrated Madame Violet will appear. Manager Koppelman deserves great credit for his indefatigable perseverance in securing this act, and it was only after great persuasion that the artist finally consented to honor the bill with her name. It is not known at this time what songs she will sing, but no doubt her offering will embody some of her well known classical gems.

Breadth of forehead is always favorable; it is distinctly connected with breadth of character.

Would You Like to Improve Your Complexion?

How Many Women are Bringing the Glow of Health to Their Faces With Home Treatment and at Small Cost

(From Chicago Record-Herald.)

The following wash has accomplished wonders with the complexions of thousands of women throughout this country. It is perfectly harmless to the tenderest skin and its beneficial effects can be seen immediately upon beginning its use. Obtain at your drug store Rose Water, 2 ounces; Cologne Spirits, 1 ounce; Epsomite, 4 ounces. Put the Epsomite in a pint of hot water (not boiling), and after dissolved, strain and let cool. Then add the Rose Water and Cologne Spirits.

One of the best features about this toilet preparation is that it can be easily and conveniently prepared at home, thereby keeping a supply of it at all times upon the toilet table. It is really remarkable how it transforms homely faces into those fresh, charming complexions that are the admiration of all beholders.

CROUP

THERE IS NOTHING that strikes terror to the hearts of parents more than to be awakened in the night by the ringing cough which accompanies an attack of croup. The child may retire with nothing but a slight cold and a few hours later the family be aroused by the ominous symptoms. Every home where there are small children should be prepared for these sudden attacks, as prompt treatment is necessary. Do not experiment with remedies of doubtful value, but get

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY

that has been in use for nearly forty years and never known to fail.

Mr. Homer Krohn, of Lisbon, Iowa, in a letter to the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says: "Out of the many bottles sold last winter not one was returned. We recommend it especially for children with croup." Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is famous for its prompt cures of coughs, colds and croup. When given as soon as the child becomes hoarse an attack of croup may be averted. This medicine is entirely free from narcotics or injurious substances of any kind and may be given to the little ones with absolute safety.

Attacks of croup are most likely to occur during the early winter months, and every family with young children should be prepared for it. Keep a bottle of CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY in your home. It only costs a quarter, large size 50 cents. Your druggist sells it.

THE TURN OF THE TIDE

By Horace Annesley Vachell

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The same afternoon, in Bond Street, he came face to face with Lady Barnogile. The august matron passed him by with exalted nose and averted eyes, but on her aurele lips flickered a smile not easy to interpret. Why did she smile? Possibly a vision of Angela playing ducks and drakes with twenty thousand a year had been vouchsafed to her. He wondered vaguely what had become of John. John might have taken to drink. That was just the sort of gross, stupid thing John would do. And Poppet would have to live with him! He tried to drive the child from his mind and failed. She obsessed him: a tender, dainty little maid, with big, crystal-clear, innocent eyes, already beginning to ask questions, and alluring fascinating manners. To think of her alone in that huge Abbey with—John!

To get rid of this importunate Poppet, he dined at his club with the swashbuckling ex-major of Lancers who—it will be remembered—had predicted that Hugo's pals—had stood by him. The Major had been one of the first to greet the returning sinner. And as before, in his loud, jolly voice, he had proposed a bird, and a bottle of the best, a magnum, of course.

They dined at a small table in the big dining-room. Close by, some young fellows were beginning a "top hole." Everybody spoke to the Major, and he you may be sure, had a word or a wink for each. The boys knew more about wine and tobacco than he did, but some of the older men were not too proud to ask for his advice in regard to these high matters; advice bestowed with fitting solemnity and invariably approved by the wine butler, a portly, well-matured individual, an understudy of the Major's.

After dinner, in the smoking-room, Hugo found himself surrounded by a group of red-faced roysters, who, for reasons which they kept to themselves, chose to acclaim the waiter as the hero of the hour. "I wonder you they'd stand by you, my boy," whispered the Major. "One more tot of the Old Brown, and we'll nip off to the Levity. I wired for a couple of stalls."

Hugo sat, with a pleasant smile on his face, now clean shaven again, but through the ever-thickening clouds of tobacco smoke he saw Poppet's delicate features and her large, interrogating eyes.

At the Levity, one of the most popular of the Music Halls, Poppet, so to speak, sat on his kneeing him. He round his neck, strangle him. He couldn't get rid of the child. The entertainment was neither more nor less delectable than usual. The great British Public laughed and chattered and smoked while fat women and greasy men shouted silly songs set to equally silly music. A so-called Venus displayed a figure that would have excited the derision of a Paris steller in a series of poses plastiques. With one exception the entertainment was remarkable for its vulgarity and stupidity. A Scotch comedian came on to the stage. Instantly a roar of applause burst from the crowded house, succeeded by silence, as the

conductor waved his baton. Not a note, not a gesture, escaped the audience. Hugo whispered to the Major: "They do know what is good when they see it; why do they put up with what is so bad?"

"We all do that," the Major chuckled fatly. "I like good wine, but I drink a lot of poor stuff, and the worst of it is that the poor stuff knocks us out."

After the entertainment, supper at one of the famous restaurants followed. Some genial spirits joined them: prepared to "whoop her up" in Hugo's honour. A hundred years before, these young bloods would have disturbed the peace by wrenching off door-knockers and bonneting watchmen. Today they disturbed nothing other than their own digestions. Turned out of the restaurant by the scandalous Early-closing Act, the party went back to the club to smoke more cigars, drink whiskey and Perrier, and tell yarns. This was the Major's golden hour. With a huge perfect in his mouth and a long tumbler at his elbow, deep in a big armchair, the ex-Lancer would deliver an autobiographical sketch, full of incident and nicely season to the palate of his listeners. He seemed to have been everywhere, to have known everybody, and to have done everything. His capacity for enjoyment had increased rather than diminished with advancing years. It was colossal, Rabelaisian!

Towards the close of this memorable evening, the Major described a kankaroo hunt with corroborative detail due to a vivid and inflamed imagination rather than a memory admittedly the worse for wear. At the end of the narrative, he said:

(To Be Continued.)

After people have done wrong awhile, their faces begin to look as if the devil had been using them for copy books.

A fool and his money are more easily parted than a wise man and his wisdom.

Cheap insurance for your valuables.

The demand for a moderate priced Safety Deposit box has compelled us to install another lot of \$3.00 boxes in our fire and burglar proof vault.

Batavian-National Bank</

Your Thanksgiving FREE-Turkey-FREE

Following our custom of former years of promoting a kindly feeling of good cheer and contentment among our vast clientele, and showing our appreciation of their patronage, we will again demonstrate our liberality by offering as usual at the Thanksgiving period.

A Nice Fat Turkey FREE

With Every Purchase of \$10.00

Men's & Women's
"Hole Proof"
Hosiery, Guaranteed to
Wear for Six
Months

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In New Stiff and
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Beginning next Saturday, Nov. 21 and up to
Thanksgiving day noon

Each and every person making a cash purchase of \$10 at our store during this period will receive a **Nice Fat Turkey** absolutely **Free**. You make your purchase and select your turkey and carry your turkey home with you. **No Bother. No Red Tape.**

We have placed a contract for a thousand turkeys to start with and hope to give away five thousand before Thanksgiving Day noon.

Buy your Winter Overcoat, Suit, Underwear or anything else you need **NOW** and receive absolutely **FREE** a nice Fat Turkey.

A FEW SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK

Heavy Ribbed and Fleece
lined Winter Underwear,
brown, white and blue,
worth 50c and 75c at

39c

Men's Overalls
all sizes

35c

500 Men's Sweater Coats,
gray with black and blue
facing, also plain colors, at

98c

Every Article in this Store
ALWAYS marked in plain
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La Crosse's Largest
Clothing House

THE COMPLETE NEWS OF THE NORTH SIDE TODAY

WRECK AT CHADWICK.

A small wreck occurred a few miles west of Chadwick. A car on an extra freight was derailed and the draw bar pulled out on another. Only the forward pair of trucks were off the rail. The crew pulled the part of the train ahead of the car to the side track there and then returned and with some assistance got the car back on the track. The evening passenger train was delayed about two hours.

When the
Little One is
Peevish

Restore good humor with
a delicious dish of golden
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Post Toasties

It is a crisp, sweet flavory
food—made from selected
white corn.

With cream and sugar, a
treat for old and young.

"The Taste Lingers."

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REV. L. L. SANDERS TO LEAVE LA CROSSE

WILL DELIVER LAST SERMON
NEXT SUNDAY

GOES TO E. ST. LOUIS, ILL.

Well Pleased With His Work Here,
But Thinks New Field Opens
Way to Greater Work

Rev. L. L. Sanders, for two years pastor of the Tabernacle Baptist church on the North side, this morning made formal announcement that he will resign his position as pastor of this church and will leave some time soon for East St. Louis, Ill., where he has accepted a call.

During his stay in this city Rev. Sanders has done a good work and has made many friends by his active crusade against vice. "My only reason in leaving La Crosse," said Rev. Sanders this morning, "is the fact that the new place opens my way to a larger field and a greater and more extensive work. I like La Crosse, my congregation here and the people and appreciate their co-operation in my attempts to rectify wrongs, and while I am sorry to leave yet I think that my work is needed more elsewhere."

The resignation of Rev. Sanders was turned in some time ago, but no action was taken on the matter, and there has been some talk of refusing to accept it.

Today, however, Rev. Sanders stated, that the resignation will have to be accepted, and that he had fully made up his mind to leave La Crosse.

SIGNALS TRAIN; HIT BY ANOTHER

While signaling his own train and standing on the next track, J. Stiner was knocked down and badly bruised early this morning near West Salem. Mr. Stiner, whose home is at Portage, is a brakeman on the La Crosse division of the Milwaukee road, and was on his trip going east. At West Salem there was switching on the next track to the one on which his train was on, and was giving signals to his train when another train backed onto him, knocking him down. He was badly bruised. The caboose was taken off the train and Stiner was brought to La

THANKSGIVING

Let us help you select your needs for Thanksgiving dinner. We will have all seasonable goods fresh and clean, selected stock such as Cranberries, Raisins, Currants, Prunes, Celery, Citron, English Walnuts, Mixed Nuts, Squash, Pie Pumpkins, in fact all that goes to make up a good Turkey dinner.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

Pearl barley for soup, 25c
5 lbs. for
Rice, selected head rice, 25c
10c lb., 3 for
Oatmeal, fresh and sweet, 25c
5c lb., 6 for
Peas for soup, etc., 25c
7c quart, 4 qts. for
Honey, choice clover 13c
honey, lb.

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Crosse as soon as possible. He was taken to the St. Francis hospital, where he was attended by Dr. Egan. Although his bruises are of a painful nature they are not considered serious.

TURKEYS GIVEN AWAY FREE

every day, commencing tomorrow, Saturday, at Doerflinger's. A Turkey will be given FREE at each of the following hours every day until Thanksgiving. At 10, 11 and 12 a. m., 3, 4 and 5 o'clock of the afternoon, and 8 and 9 o'clock in the evening. A ticket entitling the holder to one chance will be issued with every 10c purchase made anywhere in the "Big Store." All tickets will be good for every drawing held during the day, so that each ticket actually gives the holder eight chances to win a big, plump Thanksgiving Turkey. Be sure to take advantage of the drawings and get your Thanksgiving Turkey FREE!

NORTHSIDE IN BRIEF

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Green have returned from a few days' business trip to Chicago.

The ladies of the Caledonia Street M. E. church will hold a bazaar in Fjelstad's hall December 10, 1908.

Mrs. T. Stedafors of Portage, who underwent an operation at the St. Francis hospital, is greatly improved and returned to her home on the Milwaukee noon train.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Comeau of Hagar street are the proud parents of a baby boy.

Swatch engine No. 1118 of the Milwaukee road which broke a driving pin some time ago, thus endangering the lives of the engine crew, has been repaired and was used last evening for the first time since the accident.

Mr. Elsie Lampman will leave this evening for Madison, where he intends to attend the Chicago-Wisconsin football game.

The school children of the St. James school are preparing a Thanksgiving program which will be held next Wednesday.

A grand ball given by Carmakers' Union at Fjelstad hall, St. Paul and Caledonia streets, Friday evening, Nov. 20. Music by Kreutz's orchestra. All cordially invited.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the B. of L. E. gave a card party Wednesday evening for the benefit of the members.

Miss S. Vaighland, who has been visiting Mrs. C. A. Button of Charles street, has returned to her home in Victoria, Wis.

The Opera House orchestra will furnish music for the Grand Free Orchestra Concerts to be given at the Doerflinger Store tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon and evening. Afternoon concert starts at 2 and continues until 5:30 o'clock. Evening Concert begins at 7:30 and lasts until closing time, 9:30 p. m. Everybody welcome. Be sure to attend these two GREAT CONCERTS tomorrow, Saturday, at Doerflinger's. Miss Francis Coady has returned

from a week's visit with friends in Minneapolis.

Raymond, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Merrill, of 1008 Rose street, is ill at his home with scarlet fever.

Mr. F. Stellwell who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Van Vleet of Loomis street, has returned to his home in Sparta.

Mr. J. Bishop of Wood street whose house was burned last Sunday morning, has it repaired and it will soon be completed.

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FRIDAY, NOV. 20

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It's not so much what we "say" as what we "do"—and it's not what you "pay" as what you "get" that makes The Continental the "best" La Crosse store to patronize during the Thanksgiving Sale events as well as any other day.

When you buy here you feel absolutely certain that money couldn't possibly buy better quality, or more style—for "confidence" is the powerful factor whereby the public and The Continental have become firmly united.

The Continental's "high Standard Quality" insures lasting satisfaction—and the "honest" generous principles of this successful organization have always inspired confidence and cemented friendship.

The public has learned that when we inaugurate a "free offer" it means a "bona fide" proposition—an "honest" legitimate "original" offer.

Our Mighty Buying and Selling Power

By virtue of "great" output, and mighty buying power (for seven large successful stores) The Continental occupies a commanding position in the clothes market—hence our claim of "under-selling all other clothing stores in La Crosse and vicinity" is substantiated by our distributing the world's best clothes at prices the lowest known for such high character garments. Not merely a presumption on our part, but a "condition"—a "fact"—not merely a word. Another good feature of this store is that we only have "one price" on every article—this price everybody pays. Uniform courtesy and attention to all—special favor to none. Investigate.

CUT OUT THIS CHECK



Our Colossal Suit Display

Dashing new modes, the "new things" as conceived by the country's greatest makers of high-class apparel.

They are masterpieces and just such styles as are hailed by all men who appreciate "proper style." The variety is the largest ever shown in La Crosse, making selection an easy matter. Just come for an inspection of this display—the closer you examine these suits the more certain we are of gaining your permanent patronage.

Prices range \$10, \$12.50,
\$15, \$18 up to \$30

Boy's Suits and Overcoats

We invite confident buying of our sterling Suits and Overcoats, of particular parents of boys—"confident" because in quality, workmanship and style our clothing is absolutely right.

\$2.00 to \$10.00

To Buy an Overcoat

And not see the monster line shown at this store is like touring France and skipping Paris. Every style of the season—every length—at every price in such large variety not equalled elsewhere in La Crosse. In fact many styles are confined exclusively to this store. Don't fail to see this monster display—the most colossal and carefully selected assortment ever shown between Milwaukee and the Twin Cities.

Prices range \$7.50, \$8.50,
\$10, \$12.50, \$15 up to \$30

The New "Auto" or "Protector" Overcoat.

We are showing many exclusive styles in this distinctive garment. If you wish "something different" from the ordinary see our display.

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Checks can be cashed at this store or at the National Bank of La Crosse.

La Crosse's Premier Clothing Store.
Strictly "One Price" to All—Marked in Plain Figures.
This Price Everybody Pays.

CONTINENTAL

HENRY N. BOEHM, Manager.

We Offer \$1000.00 to Any Person or Persons
Who will Prove that we have raised the price, during this Sale,
on any article in the store.

NEWS OF NEARBY VILLAGES AND TOWNS

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN

The county board of supervisors adjourned Wednesday evening after a session of ten days. The board decided to have a heating plant installed in the court house and jail buildings. The work will be done next summer. The new county training school for teachers at Gays Mill was voted an appropriation of \$1,000. The state school fund is not available for this school at present. The case of La Raviere vs. the C. & St. P. Railway company occasioned a great deal of interest here during its hearing. Arthur La Raviere, the eighteen-year-old son of Samuel La Raviere, was instantly killed on a grade crossing near the southern end of the city last February, and the suit was brought against the railroad company by the father. The suit was dismissed by the judge today because of contributory negligence on the part of the young man. Rev. Father L. J. Vaughan, the well known lecturer, who has many friends in this city, has been placed in charge of the parish at Cuba City, Grant county. It will perhaps occasion some surprise that a man of his ability should be given charge of a comparatively obscure parish. Father Vaughan will take up his

work at Cuba City at once.

A large number of persons, both from the county and this city, have visited the farm products exhibit car near the C. B. & Q. depot today and yesterday. The exhibit is a beautiful one and extremely interesting. The car goes from here to La Crosse.

Mrs. F. S. Clinton entertained the Congregational Ladies' Industrial society Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. P. L. Scanlon will entertain a party of ladies at five hundred on Friday afternoon.

Mr. Ray Rice of La Crosse is in the city for a few days. Mr. Rice is traveling in the interests of an annuity and life insurance company.

Rev. Mrs. Christie, pastor of the Congregational church, is in Portage this week attending the convention of federated churches.

The annual union Thanksgiving services of the Protestant churches will be held in the M. E. church on Thanksgiving morning at 10:30. Rev. George Epp of Zion Evangelical church will deliver the address. Evangelical meetings will be held every evening next week at Zion's church, conducted by Rev. G. E. Epp and Rev. G. H. Nickell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pokorney returned Wednesday from Racine, where they were called to attend the funeral of Mrs. Pokorney's sister, Mrs. Stradecky.

Miss Helen Powers arrived Wednesday from Dubuque to join her mother at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Case.

Mr. Henry Davis, formerly of

Garvey's pharmacy, was married to Miss Elizabeth Thomas at Dodgeville, Wis., Nov. 11th. Mr. and Mrs. Davis will reside at Dousman, Wis., where Mr. Davis has engaged in the drug business.

George Campbell, who has been in a La Crosse hospital the past month, has returned home much improved in health.

Mrs. J. M. Coates has returned from Des Moines, Iowa, where she has been for medical treatment during the past two months.

The arrangement of the interior of the city postoffice will be changed soon so that the box cabinet will extend along the east side of the office from the east window to the rear of the room. This will throw the auditorium on the west side of the building, leaving the same amount of room as at present, and making a much more convenient arrangement.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pohlman, on Saturday, Nov. 14th, a son, Mr. J. Atchison of Wauzeka was the guest this week of his brother, Mr. Wm. Atchison, and family.

SPARTA, WIS.

Mr. James Bowler, formerly of this city, but now of Milwaukee, visited his many friends here the first of the week.

Mrs. H. A. Bromlet of Lansing, Ia., and Mr. J. A. Miller of Tacoma, Wash., are in this city spending a few days with relatives.

Mr. T. E. Nichol, of the General

Electric company of Chicago, is in this city this week, assisting the O. I. Newton company placing the new street arc lights. These new lights are a great improvement over the old lights.

Joe Carnahan of Black River Falls spent Wednesday in this city with his brother Andrew.

Mrs. Sherman Hasting of Viroqua, who has been visiting at the home of her brother, Chris Morrison, of that city, returned to her home the middle of the week.

Mrs. Phil Sheldon of Bangor visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Abrahams, in this city Tuesday and Wednesday.

Rev. J. D. Searles spent a few days at Norwalk the first of the week.

Mrs. R. L. Dickens left Thursday morning for St. Paul, where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. G. H. Carsley of that city. She will also spend a few days with relatives at Winona enroute for St. Paul.

George Hewitt and little daughter Bernice went to West Salem on Thursday morning for a couple of days' visit with relatives.

Mrs. Brad Miller of La Crosse spent Wednesday and Thursday in this city the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. L. Rogers.

A "stag shower" was given at the rooms of Harley W. Jefferson Monday evening for Ray B. Graves, who was married to Miss May White of River Falls, Thursday, Nov. 19. About fifteen of the gentleman's friends were present, and a general good time is reported by all. Mr. Graves was pre-

sented with a cut glass water set. Frank Fitchett left the first of the week for Winnipeg, Canada where he went on business.

On Wednesday evening, Nov. 18, at the home of the bride's parents, six miles east of Sparta, occurred the wedding of Mr. Scott Shilling to Miss Alma Fish, Rev. J. M. McKnight officiating. The young couple will reside in Harrisburg, Ill.

Cornelius Shea left Thursday morning for the canal zone, where he holds a responsible position with the United States government. Mr. Shea has been visiting relatives in and around Sparta for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Babcock and children are spending a few days at Wilton the guests of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Whalen.

T. M. Bowler of Sheboygan visited friends here the latter part of the week. From here he went to La Crosse for a few days' visit with his brother, Dan Bowler of that city.

Fred Gross was re-elected trustee of the insane and poor department at the session of the county board on Thursday morning.

TOM L. JOHNSON IS A NEAR BANKRUPT

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 20.—Mayor Johnson has announced that the fight against monopoly in the Cleveland traction war has cost him his private fortune. He will leave his magnificent Euclid avenue home, move to a smaller house and dis-

pense with his automobiles. It is stated that the determination to continue the traction fight begun in 1901, together with efforts to save the estate of his brother Albert for his widow and four children have cost him a fortune through the loss of \$400,000 through mismanagement of the Lorain interest in an effort to make the three cent fares pay last summer. In the interview, Johnson was optimistic and philosophical and declared he will be a candidate for re-election in 1909 and continue the fight. He said: "The pursuit of mere dirty dollars does not interest me. I suppose I could go to Wall street and make money. I have bought and sold with Harriman and suppose I could go back and do it again, but I am not going to do anything of the sort. I am going to stick and fight it out."

CATHOLICS CLOSE GREAT CONGRESS

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Most of the priests, prelates and prominent laymen, who attended the first Catholic Missionary congress, returned home today, Archbishop Falconio departing for Washington shortly before noon.

The congress closed with a mass-meeting last night. Bourke Corcoran of New York delivered an oration rousing his hearers to a high pitch of enthusiasm, when declaring the Catholic church is the strongest force to operate towards the

strength and foundation of the democratic government.

U. S. SENATOR NEXT

DES MOINES, Iowa, Nov. 20.—Next week when the Iowa legislature meets in special session for one day only to elect a United States senator the event will partake of the nature of a celebration of the reuniting of the party and final acceptance of the leadership which has won for the party its greatest success in recent years.

"Chance shapes our destinies," the wise guy quoted. "That may account for the fact that some of us have such poor shapes," commented the simple mug.

Money-making
Brains
must be carefully fed.
Grape-Nuts
solves the problem easily
"There's a Reason"

German Hospital Tests American Discovery for Skin Diseases

In the Berlin Hospital for Skin Diseases much interest has been aroused by Dr. J. E. Currier's report on citrox published in the Doctor's Guide. While the hospital is very conservative, Dr. Currier's standing is so high that they determined on a trial of this well known drug in ten selected cases of eczema, salt rheum, tetter and psoriasis, following the method of treatment outlined by Dr. Currier: "Dissolve one teaspoonful pure powdered citrox in two table-spoons hot water and bathe the diseased skin for 20 minutes at a time, twice a day. The solution must be made fresh each time and used warm, taking care to get the pure drug in a sealed package, just as it comes from the citrox works."

The results were amazingly successful, eight cases being cured in three weeks and the other two showing great improvement. The citrox treatment will be used very extensively by German skin specialists hereafter. A great point in its favor is that it is so simple and it is a drug obtainable in any town. It stops the itching immediately and dries up the eruption in a few days.

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CHICAGO AND RETURN

Nov. 29 and 30, December 1, 2, 7
and 8, inclusive, account Inter-
national Live Stock Show, Nov. 28 to
Dec. 10. Twenty buildings filled
with pure bred live stock. Champions
from all parts of the world. Horse
Show, Company of Cavalry, Music,
and other forms of entertainment.

OMAHA AND RETURN

Account of the National Corn Ex-
position, Dec. 9-19. Low rates will
probably be made for this occasion.
Ask agent for rate and dates of sale.
Over \$50,000 in prizes; three blocks
of buildings; daily experiments and
lectures; moving pictures and ex-
hibitions; music.

An "Exposition with a Purpose."
Don't fail to go.

\$55.00 SPOKANE AND RETURN

Dec. 1, 2 and 3. Account National
Apple Show. Variety of routes and
stop-overs.

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Personally conducted homeseekers'
excursions 1st and 3rd Tuesday each
month, under guidance of D. Clem
Deaver, General Agent Landseekers'
Information Bureau, Omaha, to as-
sist settlers to secure irrigated lands
in the Big Horn Basin, Wyo., and
Yellowstone Valley, Mont.

No matter where you are going
it will pay you to see me before
completing your arrangements.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

Beware the
Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

INTERVIEW WITH KAISER SUPPRESSED

MAGAZINE "KILLS" THE TEXT OF ARTICLE

DENOUNCE ENGLAND'S POLICY

Says Colonies Are Disgusted With the
Mother Country—Germany and
U. S. Will Divide East

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Exactly what
Emperor William said on world polit-
ics to Dr. William Bayard Hale, the
distinguished clergyman, traveler
and writer, on board the imperial
yacht Hohenzollern at Bergen, Nor-
way, on July 19, is now known, ac-
cording to a reliable correspondent,
who declares he has a copy of the
article.

Dr. Hale was seeking an article
for the Century magazine, which ar-
ticle, in view of the earthquake cre-
ated through Germany by an inter-
view subsequently given by Emperor
William to a diplomatist from the
London Daily Telegraph, has been
suppressed at the request of the Ger-
man government.

Bitter Toward England.
The emperor talked to Dr. Hale
for several hours. He was bitter
against England and was full of "the
yellow peril." He declared England
a traitor to the white man's cause.
He predicted that she would ulti-
mately lose some of her colonies
through her treaty with Japan.

The invitation to the American
fleet of battleships to visit New
Zealand and Australia was intended
to serve notice on England that those
colonies were with the white man
and not with the renegade mother
country. The British colonies
would show by the ardor of their re-
ception that they understood the sit-
uation.

"Japan England's Enemy"
The emperor declared that Japan
is even now fomenting insurrection
in India. This insurrection might
break out within 6 months, Germany
and the United States will, however,
find a solution of the eastern ques-
tion.

There is a complete understanding
between Emperor William and Pres-
ident Roosevelt on this point. They
intend to divide the east against it-
self by becoming the recognized
friends of China. Negotiations have
been progressing favorably for
months. A very high Chinese official,
the emperor said, would soon visit
America and Germany. Terms will
then be made known guaranteeing
the protection and integrity of China
and the open door.

Sympathy With Russia
Every statesman now realizes, the
emperor declares, that Russia in her
great struggle with Japan was really
fighting the white man's cause—
fighting it miserably. The emperor
expresses sympathy with Russia, re-
marking how different the result
would have been if the burden of
carrying the white man's standard
had been placed by providence upon
his invincible battalions. If Japan
suffered now to get control of
China, Europe will suffer attack.
Emperor William said he believed
that America would be forced to
fight Japan within ten years.

ICE CO. PLAYS SECOND WARD

The fast Arctic Ice and Fuel com-
pany's football team will meet the
Second ward team at the Summit's
ground on the north side Saturday
afternoon. The lineup of the Arctic's
is as follows: Schulze, c.; Wagner,
g.; Taylor, rg; O'Neil, lg; Kneebes,
lt; Loftus, at; Gleason, re; Downey,
le; Blanchard, fb; Dondan, th; Sul-
livan, rh.

CONCERT PROVES SUCCESS.

The band of the Norwegian Luth-
eran church, corner of Sixth and
Division streets, last evening gave
a concert in the church parlors.
Vocal solos were rendered by Miss
Nack and Mr. Frenstad. Piano se-
lections were given by Miss Hulberg
and the band rendered several pieces.
A reading was given by Miss Han-
son.

The affair proved a success in ev-
ery way.

WOMAN GRANTED NEW TRIAL

PIERRE S. D., Nov. 20.—The su-
preme court has granted a new trial
to Mrs. Emma Kaufman of Sioux
Falls, who was found guilty of man-
slaughter on a charge of causing the
death of Agnes Polreis, aged 16
years, employed as a servant in the
home of the accused. It was charged
that death was caused by cruelty.
The woman's husband, Moses Kauf-
man, was a prosperous brewer and
prominent in public affairs.

LADIES ENTERTAIN

The ladies of the Wilson Colwell
Relief Corps No. 2 were entertained
at the home of Mrs. Eliza Erwin of
349 South Twentieth street, Thurs-
day afternoon. The menu was boun-
tiful and gave the hostess great cred-
it. The afternoon was spent very so-
cially, being one of the pleasant ev-
ents of the season.

RECEIVES TEXAS ORANGES

Assistant Postmaster Looney is in
receipt of a cluster of oranges that
were sent to him from a friend in
Texas. The oranges are of a new
variety called Japanese orange and
are claimed to be superior to the
oranges now raised in the southern
states.

NEWBURG BUYS TURKEYS

Peter Newburg the clothier, has
purchased 200 turkeys which will be
given away Thanksgiving as usual.

THEY INJURE CHILDREN

Ordinary Cathartics and Pills and
Harsh Physic Cause Distressing
Complaints

You cannot be over-careful in the
selection of medicine for children.
Only the very gentlest bowel medi-
cine should ever be given. Ordinary
pills, cathartics and purgatives are
too apt to do more harm than good.
They cause griping, nausea and other
distressing after-effects that are fre-
quently health destroying and a last-
ing annoyance.

We personally recommend and
guarantee Rexall Orderlies as the
safest and most dependable remedy
for constipation and associate bowel
disorders. We have such absolute
faith in the supreme virtues of this
remedy that we sell it on our guar-
antee of money back in every in-
stance where it fails to give entire
satisfaction, and we urge all in need
of such medicine to try it at our
risk.

Rexall Orderlies contain an entire-
ly new ingredient which is odor-
less, tasteless and colorless. It em-
braces all the best qualities of the
soothing, laxative, strengthening and
healing remedial active principles of
the best known intestinal regulator
tonics.

Rexall Orderlies are extremely
pleasant to take, are particularly
prompt and agreeable in action, may
be taken at any time, day or night;
do not cause diarrhoea, nausea, grip-
ing, excessive looseness, or other
undesirable effects. They have a very
natural action upon the glands and
organs with which they come in con-
tact, act as a positive and regulative
tonic upon the relax, dry muscular
coat of the bowel, remove irritation,
dryness and soreness, overcome
weakness, and tone and strengthen
the nerves and muscles, and restore
the bowels and associate organs to
more vigorous and healthy activity.

Rexall Orderlies not only cure con-
stipation, but they remove the cause
of this ailment. They also overcome
the necessity of constantly taking
laxatives to keep the bowels in nor-
mal condition.

There is really no similar medicine
so good as Rexall Orderlies, espe-
cially for children, aged and delicate
persons. They are prepared in tab-
let form and in two sizes of pack-
ages; 12 tablets, 10c, and 36 tab-
lets, 25c. O. T. Erhart.

P. VAN VLISSINGEN IS MOST COLOSSAL FORGER IN HISTORY

(Continued from page 1.)

Investigation. When faced with the
facts he admitted all and was speed-
ily sentenced.

A deliberate plan to swindle, ex-
tending over a period of nearly 20
years, and involving frauds of \$700,-
000, was calmly admitted by the
prisoner. He described in detail
the plans by which he operated and
said without evident feeling that his
closest friends had been his heav-
iest victims.

The forgeries were accomplished
by the tracing method, according to
the testimony of the prisoner, and
he had a unique plan for making his
work perfect and at the same time
easy.

"I had a hole in my office table,"
he said on the witness stand. "Over
this aperture I had a piece of glass
inlaid and just beneath it there was
an incandescent light. When I was
making these tracings I did so at
night and alone. I turned out all
the other lights, turned on the light
under the table, laid the genuine
document over the glass, fitted an-
other form just above it, and traced
every signature and every figure on
it. Therefore the work was perfect
in every detail."

EXPRESS HITS CAR; SIX LIVES THE TOLL

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Six men
were killed and three severely in-
jured when the Burlington suburban
train ran down a handcar at Hins-
dale today. A heavy fog is said to
have been the cause of the accident.
The handcar was on the tracks di-
rectly in front of the approaching
train through misunderstanding or-
ders, the Burlington officials say.
The train was coming into Chicago,
running at a high speed, slightly
down grade. Three occupants of the
car were thrown under the wheels
and the others were struck, hurled
to the side of the tracks, and died.
They were taken to Highlands sta-
tion. The accident occurred between
Highlands and Hinsdale.

Parker
JEWELER
310 MAIN ST.
LA CROSSE, WIS.

Cut Glass and Silverware

to give the Thanksgiving and
Christmas dinner table a tone.
Every requisite of the table
—best quality, moderate
prices, greatest variety of
styles and patterns ever
shown in this city.

Parker
JEWELER
310 MAIN ST.
LA CROSSE, WIS.

SENATOR ELKINS' TOGA IN DANGER

(By J. C. Welliver.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 20.—
It is the irony of fate that just at the
time when he is threatened with ex-
altation to close relationship with
dukes, princes and other royalties,
Senator Stephen B. Elkins of West
Virginia should find his senatorial
toga in jeopardy. The senator is a
reasonably patriotic American per-
sonage and it may well be doubted
whether he would willingly give up a
place in the so-called house of
lords up at the capitol for two or
three coronets.

However, as things look now, it
may not be a matter of choice with
Senator Elkins. He has several years
to serve in the senate and condi-
tions may change in that time and
his prospects may improve. Just at
present, his stock is low. It was
largely because of the feeling against
him, along with Senator Scott, that
the followers of Arnold Scherr bolted
last summer and for a time im-
periled the success of the republican
party in the state. Senator Elkins
has been the head of the republican
machine in West Virginia for many
years and has built up a machine
that is as thoroughly hated by one
faction of the party as it is formid-
able. The Scherr forces failed to get
their men elected as state officers
but they are still bent on keeping
the struggle and they are not go-
ing to rest until they break or weak-
en the machine of which Elkins is
the head.

Governor Glasscock is being talk-
ed of for the senatorship and there
is also talk that inasmuch as he was
elected by the support of the Scherr
faction as well as the Swisher fac-
tion, the Scherr element supporting
him more loyally than the Swisher
or machine element, he may recog-
nize the Scherr faction. This would
make him strong with that faction
and would probably mean the Scherr
adherents would support him for the
senate. But whether Governor Glass-
cock seeks a place in the senate or
not, the Scherr people have their
knives out for Elkins and plan to
depose him if possible. It will take
a great amount of placating to
smooth down their ruffled feelings.
They would like, too, to get the scalp
of Senator N. B. Scott, though their
animosity toward him is not so great
as it is against Senator Elkins.

PLOWMAKERS WILL GIVE ANNUAL BALL

The annual ball given by the Plow
Makers will be held at the corner of
Third and Badger streets Wednes-
day evening, November 25th. The
committee in charge of the affair is
busy in decorating the hall and the
arrangements are about completed.
In the past the event has been a suc-
cess and this year will be no ex-
ception.

FLEET TO COME HOME.

MANILA, Nov. 20.—Admiral Spey-
er announced today that the Amer-
ican fleet would sail from Manila on
the homeward voyage, according to
the original program.

TARIFF HOGS DISGUST COMMITTEE AND HELP CAUSE OF REAL REVISION



C. E. Payne, New York, upper left; Champ Clark, Missouri, upper
right. Below, reading from left to right, John Dalzell, Pennsylvania;
James C. Needham, California; John Wesley Gaines, Tennessee, five men
prominent in the ways and means
committees, which has in hand the revision
of the tariff schedule.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Discussing
the tariff investigation in a Wash-
ington dispatch to the Record-Herald
Walter Wellman says:

"It is fast becoming apparent that
the country is determined to have a
fair revision. Even the high tariff
and standpat members of the ways
and means committee of the house
are getting disgusted with the re-
quests for higher rates, which the
great majority of men appearing be-
fore them, representing producers or
manufacturers, have offered.
"The limit was reached when rep-
resentatives of the hop industry in

SUPPOSED WILD MAN TERRORIZES PEOPLE

POSSES ORGANIZED TO HUNT THE MANIAC

PROVES TO BE CHAS. LOWRY

Arrested by Sheriff Chris Burns and
Will be Returned to Mendota
Some time Today

Trempealeau and that vicinity was
wrought up yesterday when it was
announced that a wild man was ter-
rorizing the farmers in that vicinity.
Posses were organized and a search
made for the man without avail. Lat-
er it was ascertained that the famous
Charley Lowry was on a tear and was
making threats of violence to every
one he came in contact with.

Sheriff Chris Burns of La Crosse
was notified and proceeded to Trem-
pealeau had the man in tow and in a
short time he was safely lodged in
the La Crosse county jail.

Lowry was adjudged insane some
time ago after a fight with a half
breed and was later committed to
Mendota. He was out on parole when
the present trouble arose.

The Mendota authorities will ar-
rive today and Lowry will be return-
ed to the asylum.

GOMPERS BITTERLY ASSAILS MR. DEBS

DENVER, Col., Nov. 20.—Bit-
ter charges and counter charg-
es flew thick and fast this morning
between President Gompers and the
leaders of the socialist element in
the federation convention. Neither
side minced their words and the
veracity and good faith of all were
questioned.

Gompers Assails Debs.

Gompers accused Debs of being
an enemy of unionism. He had giv-
en printing contracts to non-union
shops, ordering the officers of the
Brotherhood of Locomotive Engin-
eers and Firemen out of his office.
Gompers concluded: "I have no ill-
will against Debs personally, but I
cannot allow a man to stand up as
the apostle of labor and at the same
time stab the very vitals of the
trades unionism by the advocacy of
such an institution as the Indus-
trial Workers of the World."

The row started over the report
of the committee on the president's
report, which recommended that the
"Federationist" be indorsed as the of-
ficial organ.

BRYAN LEAVES FOR MEXICO.

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex., Nov. 20.
—Bryan and his wife left here today
for Monterey, Mexico, where they go
for a hunting trip as the guests of
Col. A. J. Robertson. The hunting
party will spend a week in the moun-
tains.

How Beach's Peosta Soap Pays for Itself



The saving of the clothes is worth more than the
price of the soap because Peosta cleanses by soak-
ing—not by rubbing. There's no wear and tear—
but a saving all the way.

Just as Peosta "goes farther" in the wash tub, so
it does in the dish pan, in the scrub pail, everywhere.

Colored Cottons do not "run" or streak when washed The
Peosta Way. No alkali or strong soap should be used on
colored clothes and the water should not be very hot, hence
the great value of Peosta—pure, mild, efficient, requiring only
tepid water.

Make a good suds, using dissolved Peosta Soap and lukewarm
water. In second and third tubs, have clear cold water in
which one or two tablespoons of salt have been dissolved.

5 Large Washings 5 Bars—25 Cents

A TURKEY FREE

At Nelson's on every purchase of \$15.00 or more

Starting Monday, November 16th, and ending Nov-
ember 25th we shall give you an order on one of the
local markets in the city for a nice fat Turkey, or
Goose. Get busy. Lots of good bargains at

NELSON'S

206—MAIN STREET—208
Easy Payments and
Liberal Credit

LA CROSSE THEATRE TO-NIGHT

Direct from the Grand Opera House, Chicago

The Dramatic Sensation of the Year

Walker Whiteside

in Israel Zangwill's Great New Play

"THE MELTING POT"

"A great play."—Theodore Roosevelt.

"Perhaps a hundred years hence the world will know an
American race. Today it does not exist. It is yet in the
making, and the conditions concerning this making appar-
ently cannot be more forcibly portrayed than in Israel Zan-
gwill's great play, 'The Melting Pot.'—Jacob H. Schiff.

"Nothing spiritually finer, nothing dramatically more tre-
mendous has been accomplished in the local theaters this sea-
son."—Burns Mantle, in the Chicago Tribune.

"A great play—a great human canvas—a feat of genius."
—Oscar S. Straus, Sec'y of Commerce and Labor.

Original Company and Production

PRICES 50c to \$1.50

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SUNDAY, NOV. 22nd, 2:30 AND 8:15 P. M.
UNDER SOUTHERN SKIES

MATINEE: CHILDREN 25c, ADULTS 50c. EVENING 25c to \$1.

Patronize a Home Industry

The Packing House Markets. We carry in
stock the choicest cuts of all kinds of meats and
sausages. All U. S. Government inspected.

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Oysters free from preservatives.
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Sealshipt Oysters in Sealshipt Carriers Received
Fresh Every Morning.


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OUR CHRYSANTHEMUMS

are blooming. We have thousands of them. A Great Display. Everyone invited to see them.

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A trial tells why it has stood the test of time and won the praise of critics.

N. S. BOTTLING WORKS

901-903 ROSE STREET.
Both Phones

THANKS TRIBUNE FOR PONY OUTFIT

I wish to thank The Tribune for the lovely pony outfit which I received and I also want to thank my friends who so kindly assisted me in winning the pony.

ESTHER LINKER.

CHILD BORN.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kobitz of 1603 Mississippi street are the happy parents of a baby boy. Mr. Kobitz is a later carrier at the local postoffice.

William H. Pugh, deputy United States marshal, was in the city yesterday subpoenaing witnesses for the term of court at Madison next month.

IRVINE

WEDDING RINGS — 14K

The one piece jointless wedding rings are the best. No unsightly joint and a finer finish than the old fashioned style.

14K Rings, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6, \$7
14K Rings, \$3, \$3.75, \$4.50, \$5
All sizes, including extra large ones.

W. T. IRVINE
Diamonds, Fine Watches, Sterling Silver, Cut Glass.

PERSONALS

FORD—The Car of Quality.
Mr. Walter Bigelow has resigned his position as salesman for the McClellan Paper company and has accepted one with the Liesenfeld Printing company.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Olson of Oak Ridge spent yesterday in this city on business.
Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.
Mrs. C. H. Boyer of New Albin spent Tuesday in this city with friends and relatives.
Gladys L. Willford of Canton, Minn., is shopping in La Crosse today.
W. F. Wolfe has returned from Eau Claire where he has been trying a case in the circuit court.
Mrs. Allen Nimocks and children have returned from Houston county where they have been visiting relatives.
Amateur night at the Bijou.
See page 12, the best sale on genuine 1847 Roger silverware ever offered. See Hellfack, jeweler, add.
Mrs. Henry Rippe has returned to her home in New Albin after spending a few days with friends and relatives.
The Opera House orchestra will furnish music for the Grand Free Orchestra Concerts to be given at the Doerflinger Store tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon and evening. Afternoon Concert starts at 2 and continues until 5:30 o'clock. Evening Concert begins at 7:30 and lasts until closing time, 9:30 o'clock. Everybody welcome. Be sure to attend these two GREAT CONCERTS tomorrow, Saturday, at Doerflinger's.
Mr. E. Johnson who has been taking medical treatment for a few days has returned to his home in Harpers Ferry.
Mr. K. Ike of Black Hammer was in this city on business Tuesday.
Mr. H. K. Rauk and Lars Erickson of Spring Grove were in the city on business Wednesday.
Mr. E. Reinson of Spring Grove spent yesterday visiting friends in this city.
Madame Violet appears at the Bijou tonight.
Messrs. James Kile and Eddie Carlson of Union Ridge drove to this city Tuesday on business.
Mesdames Ver Vatt and Schonleau of Houston spent Tuesday in this city on business.
Miss Rubie Dunn of Harmony is in La Crosse today.
Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.
Mr. and Mrs. John Jore have returned to their home in Coon Valley after visiting at their home of A. O. Colby.
Col Hannan, secretary of Senator La Follette, is in town on a business trip.
Turkeys, ducks, geese and chickens at J. B. Waterman, State Road, Sunday, Nov. 22nd. A fine venison lunch will be served. Dance in the evening.
Miss Maybell Johnson left this evening for Madison to attend the Chicago football game.
Theodore Stevingson of Coon Valley is visiting friends in the city today.
Mr. Cramse of Hokah was a business visitor in the city this morning.
Excellent Carriage Line. Phone 179. Gateway City Transfer Line.
F. S. Brown of Farmington called on business acquaintances in town yesterday.
Mary Frankenron of Houston is a visitor in the city this morning.
Olaf Thompson was a business caller from Lanesboro today.
Victor Olson of Onalaska is renewing business acquaintances in the city today.
Grand ball at Linker hall Wednesday, Nov. 25, given by Gateway City Pleasure club. Tickets 50c per couple. Music by Kreutz's orchestra.
Erick Bothum of Lanesboro was a visitor in the city yesterday.
Elmer Ulland of Westby was a business caller in the city this morning.
Frank J. Herlitzky has returned from his annual vacation to resume his duties as janitor in the government building.
Judge Fruit and Court Reporter Harrison will return to Mauston on Monday, where they will finish the term of circuit court in time to be home for Thanksgiving.

BREAKS A COLD IN A DAY

And Cures any Cough that is Curable.
Noted Physician's Formula.
Mix one-half ounce of Concentrated pine compound with two ounces of glycerine and half a pint of good whiskey. Shake it thoroughly and use in doses of a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful every four hours.
The above formula is one of the very best remedies obtainable for an acute cold. It will strengthen the lungs, relieve coughs and heal the bronchial tubes, and it will cure any lung trouble not too far advanced.
These ingredients are procurable of any good prescription druggist and easily mixed at home.
The Concentrated pine is a refined pine product for medical use, and comes only in half ounce bottles, each enclosed in a round wood case, which is air-tight, but be sure it is labeled "Concentrated." A prominent local druggist says he has filled this prescription hundreds of times during the winter months.

SOCIETY

THE WM. DOERFLINGER CO. EMPLOYEE'S MUTUAL BENEFIT ASSN.
Last evening the William Doerflinger Co. Employee's Mutual Benefit association held their regular monthly meeting. There was a fine musical program given which was arranged by the Misses Anna Drake and Kate Kelly with Miss Elizabeth Drake as accompanist. After the program refreshments were served by the Hardware and Furniture department and Mr. Charles Sword. About seventy-five were present.
The program:
Cecilian club.
Recitation—Miss R. Fisher.
Song—Miss M. Lyons.
Piano duet—Misses N. and L. Foss.
Song—Miss M. Latamore.
Recitation—"Brown Got His Hair Cut." Mrs. Lee.
Violin solo—Miss Mary Foster.
Song—Miss Leona Ness.
Piano solo—Miss Mary Barny.
Recitation—Miss Phoebe Ness.
Trio—M. and K. Foster and E. Drake.
Song—Hazel Jackson.
Piano—E. George.
Cecilian club.

SOCIAL BRIEFS.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Williams at Panama, Nov. 8, a daughter.
Mrs. Williams was formerly Miss Helen Burton.
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Marion Osgoodby at Detroit, Mich., a son.
Mrs. Jennie Saxton of Duluth is the guest of friends in the city for a few days.
Miss Florence O'Neil of Rock Island, a cousin of Mrs. E. J. Evans came to attend the party last evening given by Messrs. and Mesdames Wing, Evans and MacMillan. Mr. and Mrs. Morris of Minneapolis, guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wing, were also present. They will remain over Sunday. Mrs. Morris will be better remembered by the old friends as Miss Lucy Wilder, a former resident of the city.
MRS. THWING ENTERTAINS
Mrs. J. A. Thwing entertained yesterday at a 5 o'clock tea at her home, 1625 Main street. There were fifty invited guests. Receiving with the hostess was her mother, Mrs. W. J. Shores. The assisting ladies were Mesdames Charles Bentley, George Marvin, R. A. Hoefle and Irving Ruggles.
MRS. BOYD AND MISS BOYD ENTERTAIN AT BRIDGE
Mrs. Andrew Boyd and Miss Isabel Boyd entertained at a luncheon followed by bridge Tuesday. The prizes were taken by Mrs. Joyce Hogan, Mrs. George Heath and Mrs. George Gordon. The assisting ladies were Mesdames E. M. Wing, Louis Hirshelmer, Will Smith, John Langdon, W. F. Benton and the Misses Miriam Harrison, Marion Dorset and Maud Boyd.
DINNER
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Langenbach entertained at a family dinner Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Langenbach of Mayville, parents of the host.
GENE DERR BUILDS MODERN ICE HOUSE
One of the most modern ice houses in the city will be erected by Gene Derr for the storage of his ice this winter and the first work started on the new structure yesterday.
The house is to be 60 feet by 160 feet and it is estimated that it will hold about 7,500 tons of ice. The house is equipped with the most modern of ice slides. And instead of the old fashioned way of dragging the ice into the house by horses a movable slide has been built and on this is arranged a continuous chain run by an electric motor. The ice is placed on the platform, shoved onto the slide and is jerked into the house on the chain. The slide is so arranged that it can be elevated as the house is filled.
"The work on the house was started yesterday," said Mr. Derr today, "and will be completed in time to receive this winter's supply of ice."

CITY NEWS

WILL LEAD Y. W. C. A. SERVICES—Miss Clark, one of the national secretaries of New York, will lead the vespers services at the Y. W. C. A. In the evening she will talk at the Presbyterian church.
REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS—Christine Koller has sold to Matt Collins property on Fourth between Jackson and Johnson streets for a consideration of \$2,200. George G. Baier has bought from William Baier property in the town of Shelby for \$7,000.
RESCUES WOMAN FROM WATER—Arthur Peterson rescued an aged woman from the icy waters of a slough in bottom land south of the city. The woman was crossing the ice to get some fire wood when the ice gave way. On hearing her cries for help Peterson hastened to her assistance and rescued her from the cold water.
Everything is all right until it belongs to you.

IRVINE

Carving Sets for Thanksgiving

We have added to our stock a splendid line of carving sets for Thanksgiving. In out stock you will find:
Three piece Sterling Silver sets from \$11 to \$14.50
Three piece Silver Plate, highest grade \$8 to \$9.00
Three piece \$2.50 to \$4
Our prices are based on the smallest profits. The goods are the finest made.

W. T. IRVINE
La Crosse's Greatest Jewelry Store

CONVENTION MEETS.

The district convention of the W. R. C. met with John Flynn Camp on Nov. 17, for the annual inspection of the corps and election of officers of the district and the transaction of business of the district, and were entertained in the parlors of the Caledonia Street M. E. church where a feast had been prepared by the local members for the visiting delegates from corps at Bangor, Viroqua, South La Crosse and Galesville, and the work of the corps was exemplified by officers and members of the John Flynn corps.
Mrs. Breese, a state inspector, presided at the meeting and was apparently well satisfied with the work of the corps and in fact paid the officers and members very marked compliments on their work. The following is a list of the officers elected to preside over the district for the coming year:
President—Mrs. Thomas of North La Crosse.
Vice president—Mrs. Harrington of Viroqua.
Junior vice—Mrs. Fauver of Bangor.
Treasurer—Mrs. Cora Jenks of South La Crosse.
All present expressed themselves as having had a royal good time and a grand dinner, and to show their appreciation presented each Mrs. Breese and Mrs. Shoules, the pianist, and Mrs. G. E. Jenks, president of John Flynn corps, with a handsome bouquet of carnations.
The next district convention will be held with the Wilson-Colwell corps No. 2 in the latter part of 1909.

TURKEYS GIVEN AWAY FREE

every day, commencing tomorrow, Saturday, at Doerflinger's A Turkey will be given FREE at each of the following hours every day until Thanksgiving. At 10, 11 and 12 a. m., 3, 4 and 5 o'clock of the afternoon, and 8 and 9 o'clock in the evening. A ticket entitling the holder to one chance will be issued with every 10c purchase made anywhere in the "Big Store." All tickets will be good for every drawing held during the day, so that each ticket actually gives the holder eight chances to win a big, plump Thanksgiving Turkey. Be sure to take advantage of the drawings and get your Thanksgiving Turkey FREE!

REITZEL'S

409-411-413 MAIN STREET

WINTER UNDERWEAR FOR WOMEN

"Forest Mills"
TRADE MARK

is made from carefully selected yarns—yarns that are free from impurities of all kinds. Recognized as the most satisfactory elastic, non-irritating and perfect fitting underwear made. FOREST MILLS underwear will not bunch or wrinkle under the most perfect fitting gown. It is the outcome of many years of the best thoughts of trained women designers who have studied and thoroughly mastered the requirements of their sex. There is a great variety of styles, weights and fabric that even the most particular can feel properly and comfortably clothed at all times and in all temperatures.

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WISCONSIN NEWS

OFFICIAL RETURNS ARE COMPLETED

ALL EXCEPT FIVE COUNTIES REPORT

TAFT RAN VERY STRONG

Pluralities for Davidson—Congressman and Other Republicans

MADISON, Wis., Nov. 20.—All but five counties have reported their official election returns to Secretary of State Frear, the unreported counties being Milwaukee, Fond du Lac, Green Bay, Rock and Taylor. Returns from the Eleventh congressional district, completed today, show that Congressman-elect L. L. Lenroot got 30,104 votes, J. S. Konkell, Dem., 10,467, and E. B. Harris, S. D., 1,117. Lenroot's plurality over Konkell was 19,637.

Complete figures in the Seventh district give Congressman J. J. Esch 25,193 votes and B. F. Keeler, Dem., 11,466.

In the Second district Congressman Nelson had 20,926 and J. E. Jones 17,748.

With the official returns missing from only five counties, Governor Davidson has received 243,170 and Mr. Aylward 166,098. This makes Davidson's majority over Aylward 77,072.

From the same counties Taft received 247,689 votes to 166,157, which gives Taft a majority over Bryan of 81,532. The difference between the vote of Davidson over Aylward and Taft and Bryan is 4,460 and the difference between Taft over Davidson is 4,519.

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SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS. MADISON, Wis., Nov. 20.—The University of Wisconsin Agricultural society has elected the following officers: President, W. E. Thompson, '09, Summers; vice president, L. F. Graber, Mineral Point, '10; secretary, A. C. Baer, '11, West Bend; treasurer, W. E. Heinke, '10, Madison.



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IT IS REPORTED FAY MAY RETURN

BISHOP GRAFTON CANNOT CONFIRM RUMOR

M'GARVEY'S FOLLOWERS FEW

Twenty Women and One Man Leave to Submit to Rome

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Nov. 20.—Notwithstanding his close and most intimate relations with Sigourney W. Fay, who last June made his submission to Rome and is now in Philadelphia, Bishop Grafton cannot confirm the report that Mr. Fay is planning to return to the Anglican fold. Likewise he has heard nothing of a return to Anglican orders of the Rev. J. H. Haslam, a former rector of St. Edmund's church, Milwaukee.

"I do know it is reported that Father Fay is about to return to our church and only hope it is true," said the bishop last night. "Personally I know nothing about it. I have just returned from three weeks spent in the east and dedicated while in Philadelphia an aisle in St. Elizabeth's of which church the Rev. William McGarvey was rector till last May, when he renounced his orders to enter the Roman church. I found that only twenty women and one man from that parish had followed their former priest. The rest seemed well satisfied and I was surprised to see 285 out to participate in the communion at the early services while in the evening the church was packed."

"Father Fay is at his home in Philadelphia but I did not call on him. I love him and he is the only one of the priests who left us for Rome that I would really care to see return."

"Father McGarvey was ambitious and expected to be followed by 500 laymen and some 50 priests when he went over to Rome. As far as I could learn the whole number of his followers was just 21."

Mr. McGarvey is a student at Charles Borromeo seminary at Overbrook, Philadelphia. Mr. Haslam is studying at Washington seminary.

UNIVERSITY HAS THREE PRESS CLUBS

MADISON, Wis., Nov. 20.—Interest in newspaper and magazine work among the young women of the University of Wisconsin resulted in the organization last night of a Woman's Press club, which begins its career with a membership of 40 university girls and newspaper women in Madison. The following officers were elected: President, Miss Olive C. Tracy, '11, Madison; vice president, Miss Margaret Ashmun, '04, Madison; secretary-treasurer, Miss Elsie Bullard, '10, Milwaukee; librarian, Miss Jewell Chase, '11, Oshkosh; member of the executive committee, Mrs. Aubertine Woodward Moore, Madison. The new club is arranging to have a number of well-known newspaper women and magazine writers give addresses on various phases of journalistic work.

SHORT COURSE PAYS.

MADISON, Wis., Nov. 20.—The successes of former students of the short course in agriculture at the College of Agriculture, University of Wisconsin, have demonstrated the possibilities open to bright farm boys by this fourteen weeks' training. Letters from those who have completed the work are full of such statements as the following: "The short course increased my earning capacity 25 per cent." "L. E. Risum, Green county: 'My earning capacity has been increased \$20 a month.'" "O. Strand, Barron county: 'The short course increased my wages \$25 to \$30 a month.'" C. Erickson, Mara-



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BELOIT COUPLE MARRY ON DARE

BELOIT, Wis., Nov. 20.—"Why don't you people get married?" "We will if you will." "Done."

This conversation on a touring car between Lake Mackinac and Rochester, Ind., resulted a few hours later in the marriage of Frank G. Ensign, class of 1909 Beloit college, and Anna Plank, a sister of Donald Plank, class of 1903.

The couple with them is engaged but Ensign proposed and was accepted on the trip. He is the son of the late Frederic G. Ensign, district superintendent Wisconsin American Sunday School union.

The Opera House orchestra will furnish music for the Grand Free Orchestra Concerts to be given at the Doerflinger Store tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon and evening. Afternoon Concert starts at 2 and continues until 5:30 o'clock. Evening Concert begins at 7:30 and lasts until closing time, 9:30 p. m. Everybody welcome. Be sure to attend these two GREAT CONCERTS tomorrow, Saturday, at Doerflinger's.

MILITARY BAND FOR VARSITY

MADISON, Wis., Nov. 20.—The University of Wisconsin band has been reorganized on a military basis with a new leader and 42 pieces. The organization, which consists entirely of students, appeared for the first time in their new regimental uniforms last night at the football mass meeting. Carl A. Mann, '09, Madison, has been chosen captain and conductor. Besides appearing with the university regiment and at athletic contests, the band is planning a series of free public concerts to be given at intervals of six weeks throughout the year.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

SUPERIOR—Superior and Duluth are again getting busy on the harbor matter. Last time the cities worked in unison on the breakwater proposition the outcome was that the engineers recommended that Superior get all that was asked for her entry, while Duluth had to wait. The committee will now endeavor to get Duluth's program for protection at that end of the harbor put through.

OSHKOSH—The merchants' excursions which were conducted during the summer on waters surrounding Oshkosh have ended, and the records show that a total of 8,543 persons were brought from the east shore of Lake Winnebago and the Fox river points to Oshkosh to do their shopping.

OSHKOSH—At the meeting of the county board of supervisors the only change made was in the superintendent of the county workhouse, Robert Abrams who held the position for the past twelve years, being defeated for re-election by Edward Ganzer.

KENOSHA—It is stated on what seems good authority that negotiations are pending for the sale of the lines of the Kenosha Electric Rail-

way company, owned by A. C. Frost of Chicago and Milwaukee fame, to John I. Beggs of Milwaukee.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The following postmasters have been appointed: Boyleston, Douglas county, William C. Jones, vice W. J. Hope, resigned; Momico, Oneida county, Alfred K. Jilison, vice B. F. Jilison, resigned.

SUPERIOR—The Soo railroad, which has been grading its line from Superior westward to Brocton, Minn., has abandoned that work in the city for the season. Ties will be laid early in the spring.

MANITOWOC—Compulsory vaccination of parochial school children as a condition to admission to the schools was ordered by city board of health as a precautionary measure against smallpox.

MADISON—The Yellow Helms society of the university decided to revoke the federal liquor license taken out a few days ago.

OSHKOSH—Max Goll, who escaped from the Alexian Brothers' hospital, was captured at Fond du Lac, his home.

VIOLA—Joseph Thornton, a pioneer settler and veteran of the civil war, was found dead on the road.

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itors and you can readily see where we win out on close margins, giving you the benefit, while we do the work, yet when our day figures up we feel well repaid by the knowledge that we have done a double good—By **SAVING** money for you, by **MAKING** money for ourselves. Try the cash system with the **PAULSEN SHOE CO.** and save from 10 to 50 per cent on all you buy. It will more than pay for your Holiday expense.

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MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

TWENTY A DAY IS ALICE'S RECORD

IS A VETERAN AT PILL CONSUMING

USED TO SMOKE FORTY

But Influence of Nicholas Longworth Has Brought Number Down One Half

DES MOINES, Iowa, Nov. 20.—According to Dr. Lyman B. Sperry of Oberlin, Ohio, Nicholas Longworth claims to have caused a great reformation in his wife, formerly Alice Roosevelt.

"He told a friend of mine recently," Dr. Sperry said in a public address in Des Moines, "that he had succeeded in reducing the number of cigarettes Mrs. Longworth smoked from forty to twenty a day."

Dr. Sperry's talk at the Y. M. C. A. was on "Human Conditions and Possibilities."

"Unless some curb is put on the sale and use of cigarettes," Dr. Sperry said, "our daughters will soon be smoking them as freely as our sons."

SENATOR DENIES PERSISTENT STORY

GRAND FORKS, Nov. 20.—Senator H. C. Hansbrough returned from Minot, where he attended the American Society of Equity convention, and made an address. The meeting was well attended and was quite successful, he states. Senator Hansbrough denied that there was any truth in the report published in a Minneapolis newspaper that he had made a combination with Congressman Marshall and Gronna to defeat M. N. Johnson for the senate. He said that he met Marshall and Gronna accidentally at the Nicollet hotel and that no deal referring to the senatorial situation was made. "I have made no combinations with any one with reference to the senatorial contest in North Dakota and I will make none," said the senator today. "I have no tannounced that I am a candidate for the United States senate. If you will read my recent statement you will find that I said in no place that I was a candidate for the senate."

Congressman A. J. Gronna of Lakota, is also here today. His coming at this time had no particular political significance, it was stated.


WOMAN INJURED WHEN HORSES RUN

MITCHELL, S. D., Nov. 20.—Mrs. S. T. Young, wife of the Plankinton state reform school, was severely injured in a runaway accident. Her team took fright at an automobile and ran away. The horses went around in a circle and threw her and her driver, a trusty of the reform school, to the ground. Mrs. Young was badly bruised about the head and face and her hip was injured.

Mrs. Young had started to drive to Plankinton, 25 miles distant, when the runaway occurred. The automobile driver did not stop to pay any attention to the injured woman, and his identity could not be learned.

WRESTLER BREAKS ARM

ROCHESTER, Minn., Nov. 20.—"The Iowa Farmer" and Jahns of Springville, Minn., held a wrestling bout here last night. Jahns agreed to throw the farmer within fifteen minutes. This he did in the first round, but the referee disallowed the second round on account of the count. At the opening of the third round Jahns threw his opponent quickly, but with the result that the farmer broke his right arm above the elbow.



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We show a large variety of colors, all union label goods, made as good clothing should be at \$10.

A splendid variety of suitings in four different models including Cheviots, Worsteds, Serges and Thibets at \$15.

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Others at \$22.40, \$25, \$28 and \$30.

Men's Overcoats

We are showing good 46 inch Kersey and Cheviot Overcoats having the union label at \$10.

A fine assortment of fancy coats made regular or in the new Auto or Protector styles, bearing union label at \$15.

An assortment of Auto or Protector Coats as well as the regular style in all the new shades as well as the plain colors in strictly hand-made garment at \$22.50.

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Fine Furnishings and Hats

Our neckwear stock has a reputation. We have just received the newest line of neckwear ever shown at the price in this city. Four in hands and bat wings 25c.

A line which we need say but little is our immense assortment of four in hands and bat wing ties in all the new colors, at 50c.

Men's sweater coats in all the new combinations, as well as plain colors, full assortment the best of which is our Shaker Knit Coats at \$5.00.

Boys' Hats in the newest Montague styles in all colors and shapes. Hats that the boys will like, at \$1.50.

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THREE MORE DIE BY LURE OF ICE

BOY SKATER AND SISTER GO THROUGH ICE

YOUNG MAN IS DROWNED

While Crossing Water to His Traps Ice Gives Way and He Loses Life

BRAINERD, Minn., Nov. 20.—Two children of Mrs. Belle Grasser, residing near Gull Lake, ten miles northeast of Brainerd, were drowned. The boy was skating and hauling his sister on a hand sled when the ice broke.

Coroner Gibson went today to view the bodies.

Crosses Lake—Drowns.

FERGUS FALLS, Minn., Nov. 20.—Coroner O. M. Haugen drove to Stang lake to investigate the drowning of Hans Granboi, which occurred there. He found that the young man had gone out to examine some traps which he had set; started to cross a small lake, and broke through the ice almost in the center, drowning in ten feet of water. The hole was found in the ice and his hat laying alongside it. The body was recovered after a search of several hours. Granboi was twenty-four years old, and resided with his widowed mother.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLS SON.

FERGUS FALLS, Minn., Nov. 20.—Word was received here that Oscar Klementson, the 14 year old son of Peter Klementson, had been accidentally shot by his father near Gwinner, N. D. The father was about to shoot a chicken, when the gun was accidentally discharged, striking the boy in the abdomen and causing death in a few hours.

The family were residents of this county until quite recently.

ICE SINKS STEAMBOAT.

YANKTON, S. D., Nov. 20.—The Josie L. K., a steam ferryboat, staved by ice, has sunk here. It is doubtful if it can be raised. Capt. Joe Gelsler is the owner. It was the only connection with the Nebraska side, as the bridge is out.

FALLS IN POCKET

TWO HARBORS, Minn., Nov. 20.—Mons. Hanson had a narrow escape from death by falling into an ore pocket together with a carload of iron ore. He was taken to Budd hospital with serious injuries.



From right to left they are—Besoon, R. T.; Nix, R. G.; Philoon, captain, center; Wier, L. G.; Byrne, L. T., and Kern, Q. B.

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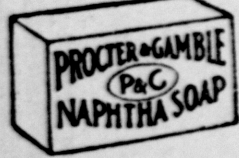
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PANAMA AND THE COLOMBIANS ARE AMERICAN TURKEY

(Continued from page 1.)

of the seacoast of South America, fronting on both the Atlantic and Pacific. Suppose Colombia should lease a port to Japan, on the Pacific littoral and another to Germany on the Caribbean coast—what then? It would be plainly hostile to the United States. It would amount to manning the canal from both directions. Japan is the only possible enemy in the Pacific, and Germany is the only power now looked upon as a potential antagonist in South America. Each is ambitious for extension of its naval power.

Necessitates a Larger Navy. Just as British foreign policy has long been directed to control of the gateways to India; just as Downing street has for generations been concerned about Gibraltar and Malta and Crete and Suez and Aden, and the Cape—so Washington in future must look to the control of the approaches to the isthmian canal. The Panama canal will presently represent the short route to India; the Panama canal will presently represent the short route between the two American oceans, the conservation of our naval power, the possibility of quick and effective mobilization of a great naval force on either seacoast. The country which by power or diplomacy manages to seat itself at either approach to the Panama canal will be located there as the constant interrogation point at the end of any statistical statement of American naval power. For any rival naval power to control the roadway between the two oceans would be equivalent to imposing on this country the necessity of maintaining a vastly larger navy than otherwise. It would mean that, in order to be safe, the United States must adopt the two-ocean standard in the most liberal sense, just as Britain has adopted the two-ocean standard. England feels that her security depends at all times on having a naval power capable of coping with the combined fleets of any two other nations with which she might come into conflict. The United States, with the canal in danger, would be obligated to maintain in either ocean a power competent to deal, alone, with any that might be brought against it.

Root Anxious to Adjust Matters. In this light the importance of establishing amicable relations between Colombia and Panama, and of healing any wounds in the Colombian feelings, is plain enough. Secretary Root has been working for a long time toward bringing the two republics together, and is anxious to have the matter finally adjusted before he retires from office. It is one of those large matters of national policy which, like the British attitude of maintaining Turkey in Europe as a safeguard against Russian control of the Aegean, may safely be expected to demand attention for generations. Colombia and Central America are to American power at Panama, what Turkey is to English control at the Suez. Colombia must be kept friendly to the United States. It must likewise be weaned away from any notions of revenge it might entertain toward Panama.

Watchfulness Cannot be Relaxed. There is no present concern about relations with either Japan or Germany. Relations with Japan have been vastly improved in the last few months, particularly as a result of the fleet's visit to Nippon and the wonderful welcome that was accorded to it. But diplomacy points out that it would no more do to relax watchfulness over the approaches to the canal, than it would do for Britain to lose interest in control of the Pillars of Hercules. Japanese immigration to South America has not yet reached proportions justifying misgivings about her intentions. There was a time when German interest in Brazil did give some worry, but that time seems to have passed. But there is no assurance of what the future may bring forth.

Want Independence of Panama. Negotiations have been going on with Colombia for months, looking to Colombian recognition of Panama independence. This is the crux of the whole affair. This recognition is very desirable. It is impossible to state whether a treaty between the two countries is likely to be concluded in the immediate future, but it is reported on the best authority that highly satisfactory progress has been made in the effort to bring them together. There is interest among the members of the congressional committees on foreign affairs in the question of whether any action will be required from the United States, incident to the establishment of diplomatic relations between the two republics of the isthmian region. That it might become some sort of tripartite arrangement, in which the United States would stand as guarantor or certain right and relations in the future, is considered very possible. At any rate the matter is recognized by the foreign relations experts of congress as one of the most important, and least understood, now pending at the foreign office.

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All this season's latest creations in fine tailored suits in the popular cloth—every garment the perfection of tailoring marked early in the season at lower prices than others—and now at these cut prices makes them bargains unapproachable in the city.

Our \$22.50 Suits—

\$15.00

Our \$25.00 Suits—

\$17.50

Our \$30.00 Suits—

\$21.50

Our \$35.00 Suits—

\$25.00

Our \$39.00 Suits—

\$27.50

No Charge for Alteration



COATS at BARGAIN PRICES

Astrachan, Pony and Mink coats at Tremendous Reductions

LOT 1—Consists of black and Brown Pony Coats, flat or high collars, that sold for \$16.50 now

\$7.50

LOT 2—Same cloths as above in finer quality and silk lined, the former price \$25.00, now

\$10.00

LOT 3—Long Coats in pony and velour—high collar—\$30.00 garment

\$15.00

LOT 4—22 black astrachan Coats all storm collars, warranted satin lining, sold \$40 and \$45, choice Monday

\$25.00

LOT 5—Genuine blended Brook Mink Coat, with deep storm collar—and warranted Skinner's satin lining, \$65.00 coat

\$37.00



CHILDREN'S COATS

Lot of Children's and Misses Cloth Coats in red, brown, green and grey cloths and serge, kersey, bear skin, velvet and chinchilla—

At savings of \$2 to \$4 a garment

WAIST BARGAIN

Another shipment of these wash waists opened this week. Prettier than ever. All sizes. Saturday.

\$1.00 Each

HANDKERCHIEF SPECIAL

Direct from the mills in Ireland; our own importation. 75 dozen fine embroidered sheer linen. All neat, pretty designs. Looks like 50c goods.

25c Each

HOSIERY DEPARTMENT

Children's Guaranteed Hose—6 pairs in a box, 1x1 Ribb, a fine stocking. Guaranteed for 6 months. Sizes 6 1/2 to 9 1/2.

90c the Box

LACE DEPARTMENT

200 dozen French Val Laces, white, all widths, 1/2 in. to 2 in wide. Value 8 to 15c

3c the Yard

COMFORTER BARGAINS

One case 72x74 soft tufted comforter, soft as home made and covered with silkoline, all medium dark colorings. Good value for \$1.75, for

\$1.35

NOTION DEPARTMENT

Perfume bargain. We secured a lot of holiday package perfume, Bradley's Triple extract. 50c package Saturday

29c the Box

NORTH SIDE

CROSSING WATCHMAN TAKEN OFF MILL ST.

As a result of the new arrangements for switching and as an assurance that the switching at the Mill street crossing has been eliminated the Milwaukee road has removed the flagman at the crossing. There will still be a flagman for the night watch as usual.

MEETINGS AT THE LUTHERAN CHURCH

In Bethel Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of 5th and George

streets there will be a series of meetings from November 19 to 22. Pastors from various places as St. Paul, Minneapolis, Lakewood, Waukegan, Rochester and Ellinor, Minn., are expected. The meetings begin on Thursday evening at 7:45 o'clock with an opening sermon by one of the pastors. There will be services every day in the forenoon at 10 o'clock, in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and in the evening at 7:30 o'clock if not otherwise decided. All are welcome.

JAMES GOWDY IS DEAD AT WAUPACA

Mr. James Gowdy, Waupaca, who was reported to have died several days ago, died last evening at the Waupaca Soldiers' Home.

Willville, N. Y., and during the civil war he belonged to the First Dragoons of New York state. In 1867 he came to La Crosse and worked for the street car company. He was also in the lumber business until a few years ago when he went to the Soldiers' Home at Waupaca, where he has remained. The funeral and interment will take place at Waupaca.

The Opera House orchestra will furnish music for the Grand Free Orchestra Concerts to be given at the Doerflinger Store tomorrow, Saturday, afternoon and evening. Saturday Concert starts at 2 and continues until 5:30 o'clock. Evening Concert begins at 7:30 and lasts until closing time, 9:30 p. m. Everybody welcome. Be sure to attend these two GREAT CONCERTS tomorrow, Saturday, at Doerflinger's.

GIVEN FAREWELL PARTY

A farewell party was given at the home of Mrs. Loefflingwell of 131 Caledonia street in honor of Miss Nina Lambert of Dresbach. Those present were Misses Louise Birk, Vera Lambert, Mrs. Lambert, Arthur Drexler, Cora Erickson, Myrtle Gulickson, Jennie Brown and Charles Brown. The evening was spent in games and a musical program. Refreshments were served and all present had a good time.

MINE EXPLOSION FATAL

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 20.—A man was reported killed and fatally injured this morning in a mine explosion near Uniontown.

A TURKEY FREE

At Nelson's on every purchase of \$15.00 or more

Starting Monday, November 16th, and ending November 25th we shall give you an order on one of the local markets in the city for a nice fat Turkey or Goose. Get busy. Lots of good bargains at

NELSON'S

206---MAIN STREET---208

Easy Payments and Liberal Credit

YOUR THANKSGIVING TURKEY

will be enjoyed all the better, if your feet are provided with a pair of

STRAUSS SHOES

Our new FALL AND WINTER FOOTWEAR includes all the good shapes and styles and every customer will feel in duty bound to GIVE THANKS for the comfort and protection which our shoes will give him. Even the little boy and girl will be thankful for a pair of the new High Top Shoes, which we are selling.

Why not make the little folks happy also. Yours for

Shoes for the whole family,

WM. F. STRAUSS

320 Pearl St.

SIGN OF THE KANGAROO

READ THE TRIBUNE
WANT ADS.

TRIBUNE WANTS

Help Wanted—Male
Wanted—500 men to learn barber trade and take positions waiting for customers. Few weeks completes, practice furnished, scholarship, examinations, and diplomas. Write for catalogue. Moler College, Chicago, Ills.
Wanted—For U. S. Army: Able-bodied, unmarried men, between 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, Hotel La Crosse, Wis.
Wanted—50 boarders wanted, 21 meals for \$3.00. Special rates given to students at Merchants Restaurant, 225 Main St.
Wanted—Young men to copy letters at home, \$10 per week in advance, particulars for stamp. N. Anderson & Co., McDonald, Mich.
Wanted—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in few weeks, mailed free. Moler College, Chicago, Ill.
Wanted—Experienced and competent men and coffee wagon salesmen and house canvassers. New and new established routes territory or will take good hustling men only, and teach the business. Positions worth \$25.00 weekly, to capable men, salary and commission. None but first class men and with sales ability need apply. Apply to H. Gayman, 1408 Vine St. New York, 577-A, or write direct to Merchants, Jewel Tea Company, 101 N. May St., Chicago, Ill.
Wanted—Canvassing agents, a pleasant and profitable occupation. Fabric Imp. Co., 1605 Farnham St. La Crosse.
Wanted—Bright German boy to learn retail clothing business. Opportunity for a boy who can make good. Address Clothing Department of the Tribune.
Help Wanted—Female
Wanted—Our catalogue explains how we teach hairdressing, manicuring, facial massage, etc., in few weeks, mailed free. Moler College, Chicago, Ill.
Wanted—A girl at 920 So. 5th St.
Wanted—Housekeeper. Address, Tribune.
Wanted—Woman at 713 State St. to do washing.
Wanted—Girl at Eagle Hotel.
Wanted—Competent girl for general housework, 1115 Main St.
Wanted—A young girl to assist with housework. Preferred to live in her room at home. Inquire at 14th St.
Wanted—Stenographer and office girl. Century Gauge Co., 216 So. 3d St.
Wanted—A cook immediately. Apply 1141 Main St.
For Sale
For Sale—Set of engineering instruments. Complete with all the latest School Models, very cheap. Write at once. Apply at Tribune.
For Sale—Good second hand lumber of all kinds. Enquire at old La Crosse & Astin mill site or call up J. L. Roberts, 2211 Old phone.
For Sale—Old timber and one small wood saw, 8 h. p. boiler, 6 ft. engine. 400 Mill St., North La Crosse.
For Sale—A set of 12 volumes of Encyclopedia of Law. A bargain. Write at once. Apply at Tribune.
For Sale—Robertson steam bath and steam cooker, both new. Main St. up stairs. Mrs. N. O. Crocker.
For Sale—One fair size second-hand office safe. S. J. de Ranitz, 101 N. 5th St.
For Sale—A few paid up shares in Fourth Building Association. Inquire C. R. Benton, Secretary.
For Sale—Corn cobs good for feeding, \$1.50 per load. Old phone, 24; new phone, 118.
For Sale—Buggies at cost for 30 days. 127 N. 3rd.
For Sale—One very near new, second hand office safe. S. J. de Ranitz & Co., 205 Main St.
For Sale—Rolling top desk. Cost \$1.44, sell for \$15.00, 429 Main, phone.
For Rent
For Rent—Have one desirable furnished room left, at 119 So. 7th. No morning.
For Rent—3 furnished rooms with bath, heat and light, suitable for housekeeping. 121 So. 3rd St.
For Rent—5 room cottage. Inquire at 712 State St.
For Rent—6 room modern cottage, 1202 Kane St. Phone New, 100.
For Rent—5 rooms, 302 W. Av. N.
For Rent—2 furnished rooms, 710 S. 7th.
For Rent—4 unfurnished rooms with bath. Call Sunday, 705 So. 3rd street.
For Sale—Large size Jewel coal heater, slightly used, cost \$60.00. Will sell reasonable. Inquire 1640 10th St.
For Rent—4 rooms at \$8.00 at 203 State St. Inquire Pitzer's Dyeing and Cleaning Works, 201 State.
For Rent—Cement block cottage. All modern, corner 16th and Winthrop. Old phone, 3103.
For Rent—Furnished rooms, 223 So. 6th St.
For Rent—Three convenient rooms furnished for housekeeping, 516 10th St.
For Rent—2 rooms furnished or unfurnished with private bath and closet. Board in the same house. 222 So. 8th.

See What You Get
Worth 10c

Simply cut out the coupon below—hand it to the grocer when you buy your first cake of Galvanic Soap for the laundry, price 5c. Then you'll get the present I buy for you—a full-sized cake of Palmolive Soap for the toilet and bath—a soap never sold for less than 10c.

It's Honest Soap
I can't harm the clothes. I've 36 years' reputation dependent on this soap.
Try it and see if it isn't far better than the merely good soap you use now.
Cut out the coupon—buy your first cake today—price 5c. Get the free cake of Palmolive—worth 10c—as my thanks to you for the favor.
Don't pay 5c for a merely good laundry soap. Learn what you save and gain—using Galvanic Soap.
Please clip the coupon—now—while it's before you. Hand it to your grocer today.
CALEB E. JOHNSON, Pres't.

300,000 Housewives Know
I figure that 300,000 women prefer my soap to all others—women who know merely good soap. They use mine because it makes the clothes cleaner and whiter than yellow soap—because it goes twice as far. Then it saves boiling—and rubbing, except where the clothes are very much soiled.
One reason is—cocoanut oil.
Other makers won't use this oil. It's expensive. It's not in themerely good soaps. Yet it's immensely effective. I go 10,349 miles—to Ceylon—for it. But nothing's too good for the 300,000 who use Galvanic Soap.

Galvanic Soap—5c

Please Note!
If any one of your family has already redeemed one of these coupons you cannot redeem this one.
This offer is made to your family but once, and to be used immediately. This coupon must be signed by the recipient, giving last address, so we may keep proper record. This coupon is number 10.
E. J. Johnson Soap Co., 370 Fowler St., Milwaukee, Wis.
This certifies that my grocer has delivered to me FREE one cake of Galvanic Soap on my first purchase of a cake of Palmolive Soap. Also that I never before have accepted this offer.
NAME _____
STREET _____
Redeemable under the conditions named, at any grocery store where this paper circulates.
TO THE GROCER: This family is entitled to redeem one of these coupons and receive one cake of Galvanic Soap when presenting this coupon properly filled out and purchasing a cake of Palmolive Soap. I will redeem the coupon in cash at the price agreed and on the conditions named when properly filled out and returned to me.
CALEB E. JOHNSON.

KEEF IS SCORED BY LABOR COMMITTEE
DENVER, Nov. 20.—"Daniel J. Keefe, sixth vice president of the Federation of Labor, if dissatisfied with the political policy of the Federation, should have resigned from the executive council, instead of making a light in behalf of Taft, in the recent campaign. When he accepted the place in that council he agreed that the policy of the majority should rule. By his refusal to accept the decision of a majority of the officials of labor unions in the country, he stultified labor and himself."
The foregoing is in effect the finding of the committee on the president's report, which reported at yesterday's session of the convention.
You will all blush to have it thrown up to you, but all of you have kin you do not like.
A man was telling how easy a certain thing was. "It's as easy," he said, "as rain."

INITIATION MAY BE FATAL TO GOVERNOR
LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 20.—Shallenberger, the governor-elect of Nebraska, is under the care of surgeons today as the result of severe injuries he sustained last night while being initiated into a secret order. He was propped up in bed yesterday at the hotel, meeting seekers for state appointments.
Enough to Scare Her
"Bill" Smith is a Bucks county storekeeper, and last spring he came down to Philadelphia to purchase his stock of goods for the summer trade. The goods were shipped immediately and reached his store before he did. Among the lot of cases and packages was a box shaped something like a casket. When Bill's wife saw this one she uttered a scream and called for a hammer. The drayman hearing her shrill cries, rushed in to see what the trouble was. The wife, pale and faint, pointed to the following inscription on the box: "Bill inside."—Philadelphia Ledger.

BRYAN NEGOTIATES FOR A NEWSPAPER
GUTHRIE, Okla., Nov. 20.—That Bryan is engineering a deal in conjunction with prominent Oklahoma democrats, including Gov. Haskell, to purchase the "State Capitol," a republican newspaper, is a rumor that is current today. Metcalf, Bryan's associate on the Commoner, has been for several days, it is reported, conducting a negotiation. Bryan's plans are to contemplate a removal to Guthrie with the ultimate object of representing Oklahoma in the United States senate.
Robert Herrick, the Chicago novelist, was talking at a dinner about the effect of climax.
"That was a good climax," he said, smiling, "that occurred the other night during a temperance address out in the stockyard district."
"The orator, highly excited, cried: 'See the effects of drink—an empty life, an empty home, an empty pocket, an—'"
"And, worst of all," interrupted a shabby, red-nosed man, "an empty bottle!"—Washington Star.

MICHEL & CO. TRADE MARK

In the name of good beer always ask for—insist on—

That Good New Michel Bottle Beer

It's always pure, sparkling, of fine, full flavor and well aged
The prince of beverages for any and all occasions

At all bars and cafes
At home if you phone
or send Postal to our Family Department

C. & J. Michel Brewing Co.
La Crosse

DAILY MARKETS

MANY CHANGES IN THE FRUIT PRICES
APPLES SELL AT \$3.25 TO \$4.00 PER BARREL
ORANGES DECLINE IN PRICE
Figs Here at 12 Packages for 85c, Dates Sell at 6 1/2c a Pound—Other Prices Stationary
Several changes were noted in fruit quotations this morning. Apples are quoted at from \$3.25 to \$4.00. Florida oranges at \$3.00 and California navel at \$3.25. Bananas sell at \$1.75 to \$2.00 per bunch. Onions are on the market at 60c per bushel, figs sell at 12 packages for 85c and dates at 6 1/2c a pound in 60-pound boxes.
Otherwise the market remains stationary.
WHOLESALE FRUITS
(Quoted by J. C. Burns.)
N. Y. apples, bbl. \$3.25 to \$4.00
New York Greenings, bbl. \$3.50
Grapes, bbl. \$3.00 to \$3.50
Chestnuts, per lb. 10c
Lemons, 360 size \$4.50
Cabbages, doz. 60c
New potatoes, bushel 70c
New carrots 50c to \$1.50
Tokay grapes, crate \$1.50
Winter Nellis pears, box \$2.75
Florida ranges, 200, 216 box. \$3.00
California navel \$3.25
Bananas, medium \$1.75 to \$2.00
Celery, Michigan, 10 doz case \$1.50
Sweet potatoes, bbl. \$3.75
Hickory nuts, bu. \$2.00
Onions, red globe, per bu. 60c
Figs, Cal., 12 pkgs. 85c
Dates Hallowell, 60 lb. box, lb. 6 1/2c
Flour and Feed.
(Quoted by the Listman Milling Co.)
Flour.
Patent, per barrel \$5.40
Straight, per barrel \$5.20
Malt feed.
Barley, per ton \$21.00
Shorts, per ton \$22.00
White middlings, per ton \$24.00
Red dog, per ton \$26.00
(Prices do not include sacks.)
Cheese.
(Quoted by Ice Cream & Butter Co.)
Full Cream Twins 14@15c
Full Cream Daisies 14@15c
Full Cream Young Americas 15c
Full Cream Long Horns 15c
Full Cream, 10 lb. print 15c
Full Cream Brie 14@15c
Full Cream Limburger 15c
Full Cream round Swiss 15c
Full Cream Block Swiss (5 and 15 lb. each) 14c
Creamery butter 31c
GRAIN
(Quoted by Thomas & Phalon.)
Winter wheat 85c to 90c
Spring wheat 85c to 90c
Rye 62c to 64c
Barley 55c to 57c
Oats 43c to 45c
Corn, new 50c
LIVESTOCK
(By Langdon-Buyd Packing Co.)
Hogs \$4.00 to \$5.00
Cattle 2.00 to 2.50
Butters \$2.00 to \$2.75
Cows \$1.50 to \$2.50
Lamb \$3.00 to \$4.00
Sheep \$2.00 to \$3.00
POULTRY
Old chickens 6c
Spring chickens, lb. 9c
Turkeys, pound 10c to 12c
Ducks 7c
Geese 7c
PROVISIONS
Lard, per lb. 12 1/2c to 13c
Hams 12 1/2c to 13c
Shoulders 14c to 15 1/2c
Bacon 14c to 15 1/2c
Dry Beef 20c to 22c
BUTTER AND EGGS
(Quoted by Hawley & Co.)
Creamery, per pound 30c to 32c
Dairy, per pound 28c to 30c
Eggs, dozen 31c
Eggs, storage 27c
Eggs, second 24c
ANY AND WOOD
(Quoted by City Scales.)
Hay, wild, per ton \$6.00 to \$7.00
Hay, tame, per ton \$8.00 to \$9.00
Blaw, ton \$5.00
Bottom wood, cord \$6.00
Second growth oak \$6.25
Rime wood \$6.00
Dry wood cord \$6.00
Old oak \$6.00 to \$6.50
RETAIL PRICES
(Quoted by J. C. Burns.)
Bananas, per dozen 20c
Oranges, navel, dozen 30c to 40c
Lemons, per dozen 20c to 30c
Apples, per dozen 20c to 40c
Cucumbers, each 5c to 10c
Cabbage, per head 5c to 10c
Pumpkin, basket 40c
Pears, dozen 20c to 30c
Tokay grapes, lb. 15c
Tomatoes, bu. 80c
Muskrat grapes, lb. 10c
Tokay grapes, basket 50c
New York Greenings, bbl. \$3.75
Hickory nuts, qt. 5c
VEGETABLES
(Quoted by Listman Milling Co.)
Patent, per 1-4 bbl. sack \$1.60
Straight, per 1-4 bbl. sack \$1.50
VEGETABLES
(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)
Hubbard squash 10c to 75c
Pickling onions, qt. 10c
Eggs, strictly fresh 33c
Creamery butter, per lb. 33c
Dairy, lb. 30c
Parsley, per bunch 5c
New cabbage, each 5c
Potatoes, per bushel 75c
Carrots, per peck 15c
Wax beans, lb. 15c
Green beans, lb. 15c
Beets, per peck 15c
Lettuce, 1 bunches for 5c
Green peppers, dozen 30c
Turnips, peck 15c
Fresh mushrooms 75c
Pineapples, each 5c to 10c
Egg plant, each 5c to 10c

Foreign Markets
New York Stocks.
NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—London buying was the chief cause of advance at the opening, and during the first hour selling by western houses caused a downward movement. Representatives of prominent bull interests said the market had reached a resting point and for a while may be regarded as simply as a trader's market. Government bonds unchanged, others lower.
Good buying appeared during the afternoon, causing stocks to rally and advance to an average about a point from the lowest range of early trading. Before the beginning of the last hour the trading element took a position on the long side, making the tone of the market strong. The market closed strong.
Kansas City Livestock.
KANSAS CITY, Nov. 20.—Cattle, 20,000; steady; steers, \$4.75 to \$7.50; stockers, \$2.75 to \$4.75.
Hogs, 9,000; 5c lower; bulk, \$5.30 to \$5.55; pigs, \$4.25 to \$5.
Sheep, 4,000; steady; muttons, \$4 to \$4.65; lambs, \$4.50 to \$6.15.
Chicago Livestock.
CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Cattle, 3,000; steady; beefs, \$5.30 to \$7.50; stockers, \$3.30 to \$5.15.
Hogs, 35,000; 5c lower; light, \$5 to \$5.70; heavy, \$5.55 to \$6.05; pigs, \$3.75 to \$5.10.
Sheep, 12,000; steady; natives, \$3.40 to \$4.60; lambs, \$3.75 to \$5.90.
Poultry, Dairy, Etc.
NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Butter, creamery, extra, 30 to 30 1/2c; first, 26 to 29c.
Eggs, nearby white fancy, 48 to 50c; fresh firsts, 33 to 34c.
Cheese, full cream special, 14 to 15 1/2c; skims, specials, 11c.
Dressed and live poultry, unchanged.
Chicago Grain.
WHEAT.
Open. High. Low. Close.
Dec. 104 104 1/2 103 1/2 104 1/2
Dec. 63 1/4 64 63 1/4 63 1/2
Dec. 49 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/4 49 1/2
OATS.
Dec. 49 1/2 49 1/2 49 1/4 49 1/2
PLENTY OF DEER SAYS ATTY. WINTER
Attorney Frank Winter, who has been spending a week deer hunting near Spaulding, Wis., has returned home with a 200 pound buck.
"There are plenty of deer this year," said Mr. Winter, "it is merely a question of waiting."
CRYSTAL VALLEY, MIN.
Mr. Michael Cunningham who has been seriously ill is reported to be slowly improving under the skillful care of Dr. Fullerton and his nurse, Miss Rose Kelly.
Mr. Edward Anderson and Bert Kimball of La Crosse were visiting Wm. Kelly and family the past week. Misses May and Rose Kelly attended "Paid in Full" at La Crosse Thursday evening.
Mr. Julius Lee who was visiting in Chicago the past week returned home Wednesday. Julius seems to think there is no place like Chicago. He said he was certainly afraid to go home in the dark, otherwise the White City appealed to him very much. Julius is thinking of establishing there in the near future.
FALLOWS' DAUGHTER WEDS
NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Miss Helen M. Fallows, for several years a resident of New York, daughter of the distinguished Bishop Samuel Fallows of Chicago, now recognized as one of the leaders in psychopathology, was married to the Rev. Edwin Sidney Williams, a Congregational minister of Saratoga, Cal.
GASOLINE STARTS FIRE
Department No. 3 was called out about 10:45 this morning by a fire in Scherer's saloon on Seventh and Mississippi streets. The blaze started from a gasoline stove that ignited the wall. It was extinguished with chemicals, the loss being about \$25.
N. Y. POSTMASTER'S KIN KILLED
NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Henry J. Patterson, father-in-law of Edward M. Morgan, postmaster of New York city, who was recently shot by an insane man, was struck and killed by a New York Central train today.
MOROS THREATEN TROUBLE
MANILA, Nov. 20.—Disquieting news reached here today regarding the activity of the warlike Moros near Malabang. This is likely to hasten the campaign for the disarmament of all Moro tribes in the southern islands.
THUGS BLOW SAFE
TIFFIN, Ohio, Nov. 20.—Yeggmen blew the safe of the Selcox general store at Attica today, and secured \$6,000 in notes and \$3,000 in cash.
Catawba grapes, lb. 25c
Jones' Breakfast Sausage, lb. 20c
Tokay grapes, lb. 12 1/2c
Oyster plant, bunch 5c
Cauliflowers 15c to 20c
Malaga grapes, lb. 20c
FISH
(Quoted by H. M. Slinger.)
Pickled, each 12 1/2c to 15c
Pike, pound 15c
White 15c
Trout, pound 15c
Salmon 15c
Herring 4c to 6c
Halibut 15c

SATURDAY WILL BE A "RED LETTER DAY" AT

DOERFLINGER'S



TURKEYS FREE!



DRAWINGS START AT 10 A. M. TOMORROW!

2 GRAND FREE ORCHESTRA CONCERTS AT DOERFLINGER'S on Saturday Afternoon and Evening. ALL WELCOME-COME!

Commencing Tomorrow--Saturday, at 10 A. M. we shall commence to distribute turkeys free to our patrons. With every 10c purchase we issue a coupon entitling the holder to one chance FREE in the drawings of the day. EACH TICKET HOLDS GOOD ALL DAY. DRAWINGS SATURDAY AND MONDAY AS FOLLOWS: A. M. 10-11 AND 12 O'CLOCK.

A TURKEY FREE AT EACH DRAWING! P. M. 3, 4, 5 IN THE AFTERNOON--P. M. 8 AND 9 IN THE EVENING. GRAND FREE ORCHESTRA CONCERT AFTERNOON AND EVENING TOMORROW! WELCOME TO THIS THANKSGIVING STORE!

A CAN OF COFFEE FREE!

A Thanksgiving Present for Housewives: GIVEN AWAY! FREE!

Given Away in the Basement Grocery One 25c can of Caraja Coffee, with the following order:

- 1 package of Batavia Mince Meat 10c
- 1 qt. of fancy Cranberries 11c
- 3 lbs. Sweet Potatoes 15c
- 6 large Oranges 15c
- 1 lb. Malaga Grapes 9c
- 1 lb. Figs 10c
- 1 lb. new Dates 10c
- 1 lb. cluster Raisins 10c
- 1 lb. mixed nuts 8c
- 1 package Uneda Biscuit 5c
- 1 can Sweet Peas 12c
- 1 bottle Olives, stuffed or plain 15c
- 1 package Sage 5c
- 1 can Sweet Corn 12c
- 1 can Tomatoes, Plymouth Rock brand 10c
- 1 lb. Citron 10c
- 1 bottle St. Croix Syrup 27c
- 1 good basket 5c

Value of Total \$1.99

Handsome Arm Rockers, worth \$4.00 for \$2.98

(Third Floor.)

We shall offer as a special Thanksgiving feature, for tomorrow only, in the furniture section on third floor, a lot of large handsome, massive built Arm Rockers, in solid oak, golden or early English finish, seat upholstered in heavy leatherette; a splendid \$4.00 value, special for the day only, and but one sold to a customer, at \$2.98

See Corner Window, Fourth and Main streets.

Rare Opportunity to Buy Embroideries

Some for Half: Main Floor Embroidery edges and insertions, in Swiss, Nainsook and Cambric, a big variety of patterns, values up to 10c, special Saturday for half price 5c

35c and 40c Corset Cover Embroideries 25 Cents

A fine selection of 35c and 40c Corset Cover Embroideries, exquisitely pretty patterns, will be placed on sale Saturday, at the yard 25c

BEST \$15.00 CLOTHES IN ALL LA CROSSE



Because the man who is looking at \$15 clothes almost always asks the question: "Will they wear," we want to emphasize that point. Doerflinger's \$15 clothes are made especially to give long and satisfactory service. Sturdy fabrics are chosen, good linings and trimmings are used, and the workmanship is careful. There is style in these clothes, too. No matter where you go, you cannot get as much actual value for \$15 as we will give you.

Winter Suits for \$15.00 Winter overcoats for \$15.00

The famous "Sophomore" Clothing for young men with dressy proclivities are here in large variety up to \$27.50 in value, and splendid lines at \$15.00

Boys' and Children's Clothing

Children's novelty Russian and Sailor Blouse suits. Russian Overcoats and nobby reefer in the season's most popular shades as good as \$9.75 and for as little as \$1.98

Special--Boys' Suits \$3.98

A boy's good wool suit with 2 pair of pants, one cut plain and the other knickerbocker style in grey and brown mixed serge, lined cuffs, flaps on pocket, a very stylish, warm, well made suit, in ages 7 to 16 years, special at \$3.98

Special--Boys' 98c Sweaters 59c

This is an extraordinary value. boy's high neck sweaters, in dark red colors, honeycomb weave, extra heavy, a big value at 98c. Special at 59c

Boys' 75c Corduroy Pants 58c

We shall offer for Saturday, an extra special value in boy's Corduroy pants, sold usually at 75c, in sizes 7 to 15 years, special at 58c

Men's Flannel Night Shirts, Special 59c

Men's heavy flannel night shirts, a regular 75c value, in neat pretty light effects. Splendid material, sizes 15 to 18 neck, 75c value. Special at 59c

Men's Wool Flannel Shirts 98c

Men's flannel shirts in heavy blue and grey flannel, extra large, faced sleeves and pearl buttons, a great special value at 98c. A big variety of wool shirts at from \$1.25 up to \$3.50

FREE! FREE!

Given Away With a \$25 Purchase of Men's or Boys' Clothing, a Handsome Reading Lamp.

We will also offer with any purchase of \$25, or over, made in the men's or boys' clothing department, commencing tomorrow, Saturday, a handsome reading lamp, with solid oak base, post, supports and decorations, the shade of heavy handsome stained glass. This lamp is fitted for use of electricity, gas or oil. It is the exact replica of the lamp offered by a Chicago house in last Sunday's Chicago papers to be given by them with a purchase of \$50. With accustomed Doerflinger liberality we offer this splendid lamp. See it in a Fourth Street window--with a purchase of \$25 or over in the men's department any time before Thanksgiving.

GIVEN AWAY FREE!

With a Purchase of \$10 or over of Men's or Boys' Clothing made Any Time Between Now and Thanksgiving: This Thanksgiving Basket of Dainties and Goodies. Read what it contains:

- 1 pint Standard Oysters. 1/2 dozen of oranges.
- 1 stalk of celery. 1/4 peck of apples.
- 1 bottle of olives. 1/2 lb. of grapes.
- 1 quart of cranberries. 1 package of raisins.
- 1 can of sweet peas. 1 lb. mixed nuts.
- 1 can of tomatoes. 1 can of coffee.
- 2 lbs. of sweet potatoes. 1 lb. of crackers.

Total value of basket \$2.15.

A "BIG 4" BARGAIN FEAST IN THE SALONS OF WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S WEAR--2nd Floor.

Read the stirring news of Values Unusual--Reductions to be Truly Thankful for.



Saturday Morning Only, From 8 to 12 o'clock.

Child's Bear Skin Coats--

Sizes 2, 3, 4, 5 years

\$2.98 EACH

Ostrich Feather Bear Skin, with quilted lining, colors, white, champagne, grey, blue and brown. A regular \$5 coat.



Saturday Morning Only, From 8 to 12 o'clock.

Child's Bear Skin Bonnets,

25c

Colors white, red, grey, blue, brown and champagne. They are worth 50c.



Saturday Morning Only, Saturday Morning Only,

Child's Sleeping Garments,

35c

Made of fine outing flannel, with feet. Sizes 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 years. Usually sold at 50c.



Saturday Morning Only, From 8 to 12 o'clock.

Ladies Knit Underskirts at 49c

These are the regular dollar grade, but have slight mill imperfection hardly perceptible.

They come in knee lengths in white, red, black, grey and fancy.

Saturday Specials in Dress Stuffs--1st Floor.

On Saturday we will sell 10 pieces of 45 inch dress nets in ecru, with nice figures and dots, regular \$1.00 value; Saturday at the yard 69c

We will also place on sale Saturday morning, a shipment of the very latest white mercerized Wastings, values up to 40c, special at the yard Saturday morning at 25c

Housekeepers' Thanksgiving Specials

(Basement--Saturday)

Carving Sets, stag handles, 8 inch highly tempered steel blade, regular \$1.00 value, special Saturday at 69c

42 piece semi-porcelain Dinner Set, gold scroll decorations, regular \$4.50 value, special at \$2.98

Roasters--9x14 smooth sheet steel, self basting, regular 35c value, special at 25c

THANKSGIVING GROCERIES & GOODIES

Special For Saturday in The Basement "Appetite Shop."

- SUGAR--Best granulated, 5 lbs. for 50c
- RAISINS--Choice seeded, new goods, 16 oz. package for 10c
- RAISINS--Fancy seeded new goods, 16 oz. package for 12c
- CURRENTS--Richelleu Brand, fancy cleaned per package 12c
- CITRON--Fancy candied, per lb 19c
- WALNUTS--New California, per lb 18c
- CIDER--Batavia Brand boiled, 1 qt. bottle, 35c, 1 pint bottle 18c
- MINCE MEAT--"None Such" Brand, per package 9c
- ORANGE OR LEMON PEEL--New candied, per lb 18c
- MAPLE SUGAR--Batavia Brand, strictly pure, per lb 18c
- PEACHES--Choice Muir, per lb 10c
- OLIVES--Batavia Brand, fancy mammoth queen, 16 oz. bottle for 45c
- MOLASSES--Batavia Brand, the finest to be had, 1/4 gallon can for 25c
- APRICOTS--Fancy California, per lb 12c
- SAGE--Best quality, hand packed, per package 3c
- POULTRY SEASONING, Durkies, per can 9c
- ALMONDS--Shelled Valencia, new goods, per lbs 40c
- BORDEAUX WALNUTS--Shelled, whole halves, 1/2 lb. for 18c
- FILBERTS--Shelled, fancy fresh, per 40c
- CHOCOLATE--Walter Baker's premium, 1/2 lb. 18c
- COCOANUT--Fresh shredded, per lb 15c
- PICKLES--Fancy German dill, per qt. 10c
- PICKLES--Dixie sweet split cucumber pickles, per qt. 5c
- OYSTER COCKTAIL SAUCE--Batavia Brand, 25c bottle for 15c
- OYSTER CRACKERS--La Crosse Cracker Co.'s "Faultless," 2 lbs. for 15c
- POTATOES--Sweet potatoes, 7 lbs. for 25c
- CRANBERRIES--Fancy, per qt. 11c
- CELERY--Fancy Michigan, 3 stalks for 10c

SATURDAY SHOE SPECIALS

Timely offerings come tomorrow in the footwear shops on the main floor. In addition to that famous line of \$3.50 shoes--the best \$3.50 shoe on earth, and by-the-way our committee has just brought in the name they have chosen for this great line of shoes. It comes just as this advertisement goes to press. It has taken longer than we expected to select this name; but, when we consider that hundreds of excellent names were submitted to the committee, it is no wonder it has taken thus long to decide. The name they have chosen, and we have accepted is the "HY-AIM," and hereafter this line of shoes will be known by that name.

The winner's name will be published in our next weekly bill, also in the newspapers at time of issue. At present the "HY-AIM" line of shoes contains only those for women. We are arranging, however, to, next season, have a swell line of men's shoes to be known under the same name.

WOMEN'S \$3.50 SHOES \$2.85

The demand for the tan shoes in the "Hy-Aim" line has exceeded our orders to the manufacturers, and our own expectations, so on Saturday, we shall offer our regular \$3.50 tan calf shoes in lace and button styles, plain toes or tips, Goodyear welt soles, narrow toes and mannish lasts, at the same price \$2.85

WOMEN'S FELT SHOES \$1.00

We have purchased from an eastern manufacturer, a lot of women's samples in felt shoes and slippers. Strap slippers, "comfy" slippers, Romeos, prettily fur trimmed in black, reds and greys, extra special at \$1.00

MEN'S \$3.50 SHOES \$2.85

Special offerings to our men patrons for tomorrow is a line of dressy shoes for Thanksgiving wear, in vic kid stock, Blucher or lace styles, Goodyear welt soles, tipped at the toes, best \$3.50 values, extra special at \$2.85



Thanksgiving & Wedding Silver SALE

Gennine 1847 Roger's Silverware

SIX TEASPOONS \$1.30

SIX DESSERT SPOON \$2.35

SIX DESSERT FORKS \$2.35

6 FORKS 6 KNIVES 1847 PLAIN 12 PWT. \$3.50

BIRD CARVING SET \$2.70

LARGE CARV'G SET \$4.20

Every Piece Stamped 1847 Rogers

Best bargain ever offered, 4 different patterns at

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NORTH SIDE DOES NOT GET FAIR DEAL

The North side does not get a square deal in municipal affairs, according to the verdict of the jury at the meeting of the Franklin club last evening. With natural advantages such as no other part of the city has, needs as great as any other portion of the city and many other claims, Rev. L. L. Sanders, debating last night, convinced the jury that this side does not get a "fair shake." He illustrated his remarks with many well chosen points. The North side according to him could very readily handle a high school, it needs a park and playgrounds for the children, it needs a public bath and in fact so many things that are constantly being awarded to the South side, that but little doubt was left in his mind as to the fact that the North side is "losing out." George B. Marvin for the negative showed what had been done in the way of street improvements, establishing a good sewer system and other advantages, but after a few minutes consultation the jury, consisting of Messrs. Wheaton, Stotters and L. E. Lavaque, decided unanimously in favor of the affirmative--that they lack a "square deal." "The debate was won," said one member of the club today. "On the point that on the three appointive bodies in municipal affairs, the fire and police commission, the library board, and the park commission, there is not a North side man."

BRYAN STORY FALSE.

LINCOLN, Neb., Nov. 20. -- "The only truth in the Guthrie, Okla. dispatch, that Bryan had sent me to negotiate for the purchase of the Guthrie newspaper, preliminary to Bryan's removal to Oklahoma, is that I was in Guthrie on purely private business," declared Metcalf, associate editor of the Commoner.